

Fair tonight and Friday; light winds

LOWELL MASS. THURSDAY AUGUST 17 1916

PRICE ONE CENT

# NEWS FROM CITY HALL AND THE DEPARTMENTS

Bids Open on the Pawtucketville School Addition—Tax Rate Will Be Announced Tomorrow

The bids for the general contract and that of the plumbing for the ten-room addition to the Pawtucket school were opened in the office of the lands and buildings department at city hall by Commissioner Donnelly this morning, and about every builder and plumber of the city was represented. The lowest bidder for the general contract was Daniel H. Walker, whose bid was \$42,526, while the lowest bidders for the plumbing were J. F. McMahon & Co., their bid being \$42,675.

The bidders and their bids and certified checks for the plumbing were as follows: Hobson & Lawler Co., \$4925;

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## PARLIAMENT WILL ADJOURN NEXT WEEK

LONDON, Aug. 17.—Premier Asquith announced today that parliament would adjourn on Tuesday or Wednesday next until October 10.

## ANNUAL OUTING OUTING AT THE BEACH

St. Andrew's Church Picnic at Pinehurst Park Big Success

With an attendance of more than 1000 adults and children, the annual outing of St. Andrew's church of North Billerica, the greatest social

### HOLY ROSARY SODALITY OF SACRED HEART CHURCH HOLDS ANNUAL OUTING AT REVERE

Three big special cars containing the members of the Holy Rosary sodality of the Sacred Heart church accompanied by a large number of children, left the corner of Lawrence and Moore streets at 8 o'clock this morning and passed through Merrimack square en route to Revere beach, where the annual outing of the sodality took place. No special program was carried out at the seashore. Those who wished took a dip in the salt water while others remained in the sand or visited the amusements. They will remain at the beach until early this evening.

The Holy Rosary sodality contains in its membership some fine musical talent and they entertained on the cars during the journey. The arrangements for the outing were in charge of Mrs. Maria Doherty, president, and Rev. Bernard Fletcher, O.M.I., spiritual director of the sodality, assisted by the other officers.

### Big Excursion Today

Just in front of the Sacred Heart church specials were three carloads of excursionists who also left Merrimack square at 8:15, so Lowell had another big day at Revere beach.

### Outing at Canobie

About 75 members of the Ferga Villa church held an outing at Canobie lake park today, leaving the church early this morning. The affair was in charge of the pastor, Rev. Mr. Fites.

Everything which will please and entertain both young and old can be seen at the Washburn Midway Shows now being run under the auspices of the Y.M.C.A. on First street. The receipts of this show will go to the Benefit Soldiers' Relief Fund.

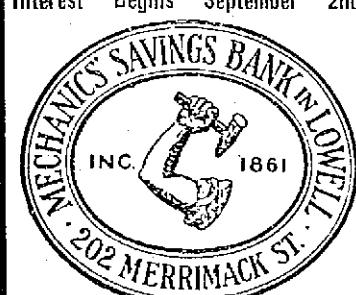
JOHN R. KIGGINS  
Chairman of Committee

event on the church summer calendar, which was held today at Pinehurst park, Billerica, proved to be a great success and eclipsed by far any event of its kind in the history of the parish. At noon the weather man promised a pleasant afternoon and this was sufficient to last long.

## Office Assistant WANTED

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## "BEFORE" AND "AFTER"

We hear this phrase over and over again. It tends to emphasize the great change that has taken place between the "before" and "after." We hear it applied very often in reference to the present war, as to the state of the world "before" and "after" the war.

Likewise, "before" and "after" may be applied to Chalifoux's.

BEFORE a customer enters our store he has no idea of the high quality of the goods and of the low prices prevailing...

AFTER he leaves it, he is convinced that Chalifoux's aims for the highest standard in modern store-keeping.

Paul F. Farrington, High School Com. Dept.

# LOWELL ELKS IN TYNGSBORO RAILROAD PRESIDENTS CALLED TO WHITE HOUSE

Accept President Wilson's Invitation to Confer With Him on the Threatened Strike

WASHINGTON, Aug. 17.—President Wilson today invited the presidents of the principal railroads of the country to come to Washington immediately to confer with him on the threatened strike. Pending their arrival he does not plan to see the committee of managers here with whom he has been meeting.

In case the president finds that any of the railroad presidents cannot speak absolutely for their roads, he may invite to the White House the financiers who control them. Officials

### TAX RATE FOR 1916 IS \$21.20

The assessors this afternoon announced the tax rate for the present year as \$21.20. This is an increase of 40 cents over last year's rate of \$20.80.

## GIFT TO MEN AT BORDER

WAR DEPARTMENT TO PROVIDE COLORED GLASSES, OR GOGGLES FOR TROOPS

WASHINGTON, Aug. 17.—The American Red Cross announced today it had been advised by the war department national committee,

that the department would issue colored glasses, or goggles, gratuitously to the American troops on the border for the protection of their eyes from glare and sand.

### PUBLICITY BUREAU CHIEF

CHICAGO, Aug. 17.—W. V. Morgan, publisher of the Hutchinson, Kas. News, was appointed today as chief of the publicity bureau of the western campaign headquarters of the republican national committee.

## BIG GAINS FOR FRENCH

Consolidating Newly Won Ground on Somme—German Resistance in Galicia—Activity in Balkans

After scoring important gains along a front of nearly three miles in the Somme region, both north and south of the river, the French are consolidating the newly won ground, making preparations for the expected German counter stroke.

### Artillery Activity

No such attack developed last night, but the Paris bulletin today reports intense artillery activity north of Maurepas, where the French yesterday, in conjunction with the British, effected their most telling advance, capturing more than three quarters of a mile of trenches.

### New Allied Advances

The new allied advance north of the Somme weakens the hold of the Germans on Guillemont and Maurepas, which latter place the French already partially hold. The objective of the operation is the important railway center of Peronne, nearly opposite which, south of the river, the French yesterday also scored a gain in the region of Bapaume-en-Santerre.

### British Line Pushed Forward

Today's official statement from London reports the pushing forward of the British line west and southwest of Guillemont, the report apparently cov-

### ARE ORDERED RELEASED

#### MEMBERS OF NATIONAL GUARD WHO REFUSED TO TAKE FEDERAL OATH RELEASED

BOSTON, Aug. 17.—Rockwell C. Tenny of Springfield, and Jay B. Angenon of Brookline, members of the Massachusetts National Guard, detained for military duty at the Framingham mobilization camp after their refusal to take the new federal oath of service, were ordered released on writs of habeas corpus by Judge Dodge in the United States district court today.

The government asked for the dismissal of petitions in similar proceedings filed by Clinton W. Jackson and Alfred P. Lowell, of Boston, on the ground that they had subscribed to the oath under the Dick bill and were regular members of the militia. Defense of this statement was made by counsel for the men who charged that they were mustered in under duress and by alleged threats of a court martial.

Judge Dodge announced that he would hear arguments on the motion later and it was expected that militia officers would be called upon to testify as to the charge of duress.

The court's decision in the case of Tenny and Angenon was expected by counsel for the militiamen in view of the recent action by Justice Dodge in ordering the release of Alexander M. Emerson, a member of the same troupe, on habeas corpus proceedings. The government has appealed from that decision and it was announced yesterday that a special sitting of the circuit court of appeals, the findings of which probably will be accepted by the war department as final, will be held within the next few weeks to determine the exact status of militiamen under the national defense act.

### FORCED INTO IDLENESS

LAWRENCE, Aug. 17.—Some 600 Arlington mill operatives were temporarily forced into idleness today by the bursting of the main steam pipe. No one was injured.

### DAVIS WON MARATHON

Leroy A. Davis of this city won the marathon held this afternoon in connection with the annual outing of St. Andrew's church of North Billerica. The start was made at St. Andrew's church and the runners finished at Pinchurst park. The time was 32 minutes. Albert Nebes, also of this city, came in second.

### CLOSE SCHOOLS AND CHURCHES

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 17.—Director Krusen of the department of public health today requested that all Sunday schools and churches be closed to

WOOD PATTERN MAKERS wanted. Steady work, 35 hours per week; 40c to 45c per hour; slight labor troubles. Address Pattern, Box 315, Providence, R. I.

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mobile

## READY TO QUIT

New Trolley Tie Up in  
New York is Threatened  
by Employees

NEW YORK, Aug. 17.—Authorized by their union to call a strike on all surface lines of the New York Railways Co., a committee of union employees of the railways company today held a conference with the general manager, Frank Hadley, to demand a settlement of grievances which have developed since the recent street car strike. Two thousand employees of the New York Railways Co. voted last night to quit work if their grievances were not adjusted. Before going on strike, however, they voted to call upon Mayor Mitchel and the chairman of the down-state public service commission to use their influence to induce the officials of the company to put into effect agreements which were made as a result of the strike early this month.

Members of the street car men's union have voted to sustain the committee in conference with Mr. Hadley to

day in insisting upon the recognition of the union, reinstatement of union men discharged. It is alleged, because of their union activities and for the right to meet officials of the company with higher wages and better working conditions.

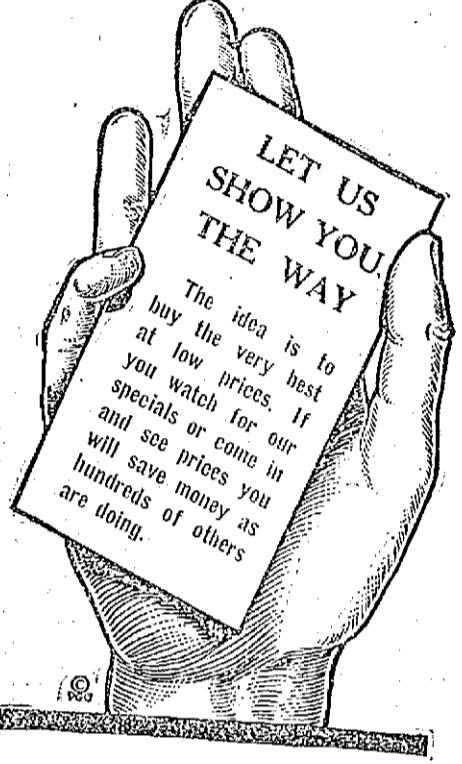
Although this action of the union appeared to be ominous of a strike it was pointed out that the chief difficulty had been eliminated when the officials of the railways company agreed to meet the committee and consider their grievances.

William B. Fitzgerald, general organizer of the Amalgamated Association of Street & Electric Railway Employees, says that if the union calls a strike on the surface car lines the men employed on the elevated and subway routes in Manhattan also will be called out.

## Nothing Doing

A conference today between Frank Hadley, general manager of the New York Railways Co., and a committee of union leaders and employees failed to bring their differences, which threaten a renewal of the recent strike, any nearer a settlement. Mr. Hadley told the men that only the president and the directors of the company had authority to deal with their new grievances. Thereupon William B. Fitzgerald, general organizer of Street & Electric Railway employees informed Mr. Hadley that unless those officials consented to meet the com-

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Market Cod..... 7c lb.  
White Fish..... 10c lb.  
East. Halibut..... 21c lb.  
Fresh Sword Fish..... 17c lb.  
Shore Haddock..... 7c lb.  
Blackback Flounders,..... 10c lb.  
Mackerel, choice..... 18c lb.

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YELLOW CORN, doz. 25c

Large Cal. Peaches, doz. 15c

10c Seedless Grapes, lb. 6c

Large Malaga Grapes, lb. 8c

Jumbo Cantaloupes, ea. 5c

Calif. Cantaloupes, ea. 8c

Seedless Grapefruit.... 5c

Large Cukes, ea..... 5c

Ripe Tomatoes, lb..... 8c

25c Grape Juice..... 18c

## SPECIALS

10c Lime Juice, hot..... 8c

10c Maplewood Pickles, jar... 9c

45c Walnut Meats, lb..... 39c

5c Indian Meal..... 3 for 10c

Chapin's Mayonnaise, 12c Shrimps 25c

E-Z Seal Jars, pls..... 49c

E-Z Seal Jars, qts..... 59c

Grandee Pure Olive Oil..... 9c

10c Pure Apple Jelly, jar..... 8c

50c Grape Juice..... 39c

25c Grape Juice..... 18c

## MADE HURRIED PREPARATIONS

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planned to leave on early afternoon trains.

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., Aug. 17.—Attachments were placed on about a dozen homes of striking moulder manufacturers' association today in an action alleging \$50,000 damages by reason of strike of employees and the picketing of the plants. The actual plaintiffs in the action are the Pequonnock Foundry, the J. A. Taylor Co. and the Monumental Bronze Co. The suit is based upon the decision in the Danbury batters case.

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## MINOR LEAGUE BASEBALL

BAD WEATHER HAS HELPED TO MAKE DISASTROUS YEAR FOR MAGNATES

The majority of the minor leagues are nearing the end of their season, the closing date for most of the little circuits being set for Labor Day or shortly after. As the season has been one of the "blowout" variety, there are likely to be few tears shed by the "busby" magnates when the final curtain is rung down.

A few of the minor league clubs will be able to show a profit and some of the others may manage to break even; but it is safe to predict that a large majority will close up owing themselves money. Unusually bad weather conditions and lack of public interest have combined to put the skids under the pastime.

Two years ago the now defunct Federal League started the annals down the toboggan by grabbing the "busby" stars and neglecting the formality of slipping a little change in return. When the Feds died last winter the minors breathed a sigh of relief and started forthwith to prepare for what they figured would be a soft and soothng 1916 season. Nothing doing. In nearly all sections J. Phivis has been on the job early and late, with the results that the season now nearing its close must be added to the two previous disastrous years, making three blivers in a row.

The only bright spots in the picture of gloom are found among the few top-liners in the larger minor leagues, the American Association and the International, Western, Southern and Pacific Coast leagues. Pennant contenders in these leagues will come through right side up. But outside of Class AA and Class A leagues, minor league baseball at a profit is likely to be unknown this year. The one remaining chance for the little clubs to gather some coin is the unloading of some of their players to clubs of higher classification, either through sale or draft.

The rough going naturally has resulted in many breakdowns and changes in circuits among the minors this season. The Atlantic league, a new comer, was forced to "blow" after only a few weeks of pastime, while the Ohio state league, an old organization, has been shot to pieces. Burlington has dropped out of the Central association and the Virginia League has been obliged to can Hopewell because it takes more than optimism to run a ball team.

Albany's flop in the South Atlantic league also carried down the Montgomery, which city it was found necessary to drop in order to balance the circuit. In the New York State league the Troy club was transferred to Harrisburg. The Northern league

will endeavor to worry through the remainder of the season minus the Fort William and Virginia teams.

Two small circuits, the Dixie and the Georgia-Alabama leagues, seem to have hit the right idea. Both outfits framed short schedules to close the little week in July. Both came through and finished the season, even if they didn't clean up a bundle of money.

## GAMES TOMORROW

**Eastern League**  
Lowell at Springfield.  
Worcester at Lynn.  
Bristol at Portland.  
New London at New Haven.  
Bridgeport at Lawrence.

**American League**  
Chicago at Boston.  
Cleveland at New York.  
St. Louis at Philadelphia.  
Detroit at Washington.

**National League**  
Boston at St. Louis.  
Brooklyn at Pittsburgh.  
Philadelphia at Cincinnati.  
New York at Chicago.

## LEAGUE STANDING

**Eastern League**

Won	Lost	P.C.
64	26	.712
New London	62	.697
Worcester	49	.544
Springfield	50	.538
Lynn	49	.534
Lawrence	37	.430
New Haven	53	.422
Bridgeport	36	.388
Lowell	32	.369
Hartford	33	.367

**American League**

Won	Lost	P.C.
Boston	65	.591
Cleveland	62	.559
Chicago	62	.543
St. Louis	60	.534
Detroit	58	.521
New York	58	.521
Washington	52	.465
Philadelphia	22	.310

**National League**

Won	Lost	P.C.
Brooklyn	63	.624
Boston	59	.596
Philadelphia	61	.592
New York	52	.534
Pittsburgh	46	.465
Chicago	47	.423
St. Louis	43	.384

**YESTERDAY'S RESULTS**

**Eastern League**

New Haven 4, Lowell 3.  
Lynn 2, Hartford 4.  
Portland 8, Bridgeport 1.  
New London 3, Springfield 2 (11 innings).

Worcester 5, Lawrence 1.

**American League**

Boston 5, Chicago 4 (first game, 16 innings).  
Boston 2, Chicago 1 (second game, 6 innings).  
New York 5, Cleveland 3.  
Detroit-Washington-Ham.

St. Louis-Philadelphia-Ham.

**National League**

Chicago 5, Cincinnati 6.

## GRAND CIRCUIT

Geers Drives Napoleon

Direct Fastest Mile  
Race of Season

COLUMBUS, O., Aug. 17.—One of the notable miles in turf history was notched here yesterday when Ed Geers realized an ambition of his to ride a mile better than two jockeys, the late Napoleon Direct across his first heat for the fast-for-all pace in 1904, with Peter Stevens making his first start of the year chasing him out.

Peter was separately timed in two minutes flat in this heat and H. J. Boy and Single G were so close up that they paced in better than 2:01.

To horsemen, Napoleon Direct did a yet more wonderful thing in the second heat. Geers was three lengths behind Peter Stevens at the half and he traveled the final two quarters in 66 seconds, a 1:53 gait. The veteran driver was given an ovation after his test that it took him 45 years to accomplish.

Directum I, paced to beat the world's record for a mile and one-sixteenth, held at 2:143, since 1904, by Cherry Lins. Directum I easily won in 2:093. Miss Harris M. started to beat 2:014 and failed. Her time was 2:02.

The Devoreux plan race for 2:15 trotters went to Early Dog in straight heats. The Eno, which was turned over to Valentine, won the 2:11 trot. The 2:09 pace was long drawn out, finally going to Baby Bertha. The summary:

**DEVEREOUX STAKE, 2:15 TROTTERS**  
(Three Heats)

Purse \$200.

Early Dog, s., by Don Cole  
(Valentine).....1 1 1

Bella, b., by Murphy.....2 1 2

I. Princeton, b., (McGinn).....3 1 3

Regardless, b., (Frederick).....4 3 4

Time, 2:062, 2:03, 2:074.

**FREE-POR-ALL CLASS, PACING**

(Two in Three)

Purse \$150.

Devoreux Direct, ch., by Walter

Directum (Geers).....1 1 1

Peter Stevens, b., (Murphy).....2 2 2

Single G, b., (Gosnell).....3 4 3

H. J. Boy, b., (McMahon).....3 4 3

Time, 1:59.3, 2:014.

**2:09 CLASS, PACING (Three in Five)**

Purse \$1000.

Baby Bertha, b., by Sikk

Cord (Garrison).....1 2 1 1 1

Bell Clark, b., by (Hick)

(Flick).....1 1 4 7 2

Blazing Pointer, bg  
(Snow).....5 4 5 2 3

Black Ball, b., (Vallen-

tine).....7 3 2 6 4

Arte V. chin (Gosnell).....2 8 7 6 4

Jean, b., by (Murphy).....3 6 3 4

Van Burn, chg (Van

Ant).....4 6 4 4 4

Hal Pix, b., by (Geers).....6 7 4 4

Time, 2:054, 2:041, 2:043, 2:073, 2:094

**2:11 CLASS, TROTTING**

(Three in Five)

Purse \$100.

The Eno, chh, by The Native

(Valentine).....1 1 1

Hector, b., by (Gosnell).....2 3 3

McCluskey, bg (McDonald).....2 3 3

Six Fifine, bg (Daniels).....4 4 4

Harry Hamilton, b., (White-

head).....5 5 5

Time, 2:09%, 2:064, 2:084.

**TO BEAT 2:14% PACE AT 11-16 MILES**

Directum I, chh, by Directum

Kelly (Murphy)..... Won

Time, 2:03%.

**TO BEAT 2:014 PACING**

Miss Harris M. b., by Peter the

Great (McDonald).....Lost

Time, 2.02.

**SHORT SHIP CIRCUIT**

FRAMINGHAM, Aug. 17.—Princess Wilkes won in three straight heats the 2:12 class pacing yesterday afternoon in the Bay State Short Ship Circuit and Tom Minton the 2:22 class trotting for amateurs in three straight heats.

It took five heats to settle the 2:14 trotting, Koroni winning, while in the 2:15 pace Birdie Alevo won, dropping the first heat to Pedro. The summary:

**2:12 CLASS, PACING**

Purse \$300.

Princess Wilkes, rm, by Rean

Wilkes (Fleming).....1 1 1

Col Forrest, bg (Kingsley).....2 2 2

Lowando, bg (Crawley).....3 4 3

Natlie, b., by (Coakley).....4 3 4

Filmore, Dillon, Harley and Tommy

Wilkes also started.

Time, 2:12 1-2, 2:12 1-4, 2:14 1-4.

**2:22 CLASS, TROTTING, AMATEURS**

Purse \$300.

Tom Minton, b., by Vice Com-

modore (Graves).....1 1 1

Blingon Boy, bg (Drury).....2 2 2

The Only One, grg (Wise).....3 3 3

Northland Richard, b., (Morgan).....4 4 4

Miss Zombro, grg (Hillman) and

Jack Blingon also started.

Time, 2:15 1-3, 2:15 1-4, 2:15 1-2,

2:17 2-17.

**2:15 CLASS, PACING**

Purse \$200.

Birdie Alevo, b., by Alevo

(Bolduc).....1 1 1

Pedro, bg (Dore).....1 1 1

Master Mariner, chg (Hattie).....2 1 2

Kathy Patch, chg (Hensel).....3 2 2

Miss Constance, chg (Mabel Converse) and

Perkins also started.

Time, 2:14 1-4, 2:13 1-4, 2:16 1-2,

2:17 2-17.

**2:16 CLASS, PACING**

Purse \$200.

Koroni, chg, by Kavall

(H. Brusie).....1 2 1 1 1

Kingbrook, bg (Smith).....1 2 2 2

Fringo, bg (Pattie).....1 1 2 2

Lord of Quality, chg (Mor-

gan).....1 3 3 3 4

Dr. Kilbourne also started.

Time, 2:16 1-4,

## EASTERN LEAGUE COMMENT

As Hartford also lost we remained out of the cellar.

Hartford is trying just as hard to get into it.

Matty Zuser pitched a good game yesterday, but errors by Helfrich, O'Connell, Torphy and Greenhalgh proved disastrous.

With O'Connell back in the game, Manager Kilbullen is making some changes. Dea has been shifted to third and Helfrich to second. This change may work out all right, but there are still weak spots that need to be attended to.

Ralph O'Connell and Ty Helfrich fended fast yesterday and each came through with a couple of hits.

Reed, last year with Manchester, is playing right field for New Haven. He was secured to fill the place left open by the departure of J. Shannon.

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## AMATEUR BASEBALL

The following Universal players will report for practice on the North tomorrow evening at 6:30: W. Qualey, Riley, Farrell, Ileslin, J. Qualey, Park, Davey, Keefe, Ashe, McNabb and Condon. The Universals will play the P. & Q. team of Haverhill. They would also like to hear from the Baldwins, Burnsides, Oxfords or Ottawas.

The Universal Second baseball team will cross bat with the strong Walkers Saturday afternoon on the former's grounds in Pawtucketville. The batters for the Universals will be Keefe and Larocque. The Universals would like to receive challenges from local teams. Write to Manager Keefe or Capt. Qualey, 29 White street.

The manager of the St. John's team of Lowell would like to meet the manager of the Tigers, Friday evening at 6 o'clock in front of the Sun office, to arrange for the game Saturday.

## MAY COACH COLBY COLLEGE

GARDINER, Aug. 17.—Alex F. Pearson, pitcher of the local Trotter League club, former Lawrence manager, and ex-big leaguer, has applied for the position of coach of the Colby college baseball team for the coming year.

Pearson, who has been with the club going on three weeks, likes Maine very much and would desire nothing better than remaining. His home is in Rochester, Pa.

Pearson in 1902-03 was in the big league with the St. Louis Americans and Cleveland, Tri-State League, and several years in the New England league. He also had experience in coaching college baseball, being baseball coach at Washington and Jefferson in 1910, and at Mercer college in 1913.

## CARLSON TO MEET BALDWIN

For many months Harry Carlson, the clever Brockton lightweight, has yearned to get a chance to box for the New England lightweight title, but it seemed for a long time as if Harry's most ardent desire would not amount to anything. Matty Baldwin, who held the sectional championship, had retired and Matty showed no inclination to return to the ring. Business held his attention. But eventually there came a turning point. Matty wanted to come back. He announced his intention of battling again and forth with him was challenged by the Brockton boy who had whipped all comers. Baldwin accepted and so Carlson will have his wishes gratified next Friday night at the Commercial club, Boston, and he will make a determined effort to take the title away from Baldwin.

## SPORTSMEN ENTHUSIASTIC

The second shipment of mallard ducks of the season for the Lowell Fish and Game association arrived Wednesday afternoon; also the third shipment of ring neck pheasants.

Yesterday's shipment of mallards was from the American Game association of New York, whose game farm is at Hazzardville, Conn. There were six ducks in the shipment.

The pheasants were from the Massachusetts Fish and Game commission and were shipped from Wilkinsville, Mass., the state pheasant farm. There were eight in the lot and they were liberated in Tewksbury. The ducks were liberated in Groton, near Cow pond meadows.

The outing committee of the local association is busy perfecting arrangements for the outing on Sept. 14 at the grounds of the Martin Luther club in Tyngsboro.

## DIAMOND DAZZLES

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Manager Jack Flynn of Springfield protested the game which New London won. With Rodriguez on first, two men out and Whitehead at bat, Umpire Waters called time as Powers was about to deliver the ball. Whitehead fled out to Hickey. Waters refused to declare the ball in play and on the next ball, pitched Whiteby hit for three bases, scoring Rodriguez.

Marie Walsh, the big Bridgeport twirler who has worked in several games here, has threatened to jump the club. Walsh, who pitched Thursday and again Sunday, requested to be excused from the Portland trip on account of wife's illness. He was refused permission to remain in Bridgeport, but failed to do so. The following day he received a note from Manager Healey notifying him that he had been fined \$10 and asking him to report at Portland "if his wife would let him." Marie has gone back to New York and says he will return there until Manager Healey apologizes to Mrs. Walsh.

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So close is the race between Portland and New London hanging that it will look as though the remaining games between these two might decide whether or not the Eastern League 1916 pennant will flutter from the pole at Bayside park.—Portland Express.

Every member of the Red Sox team available except Vean Gregg was pressed into service in the first game. Manager Carrigan was not present and the other members took part in the victory.

Joe Jackson starred with the wily. In 10 times at bat he connected safely six times and knocked out two doubles.

Despatches have the Braves in two exhibition games yesterday, one in Toledo, O., and the other in Jamestown, N. Y. The squad was divided in two parts and arrangements made to play both games. Both teams won.

The Pittsburg club has announced the purchase of Pitcher Redding and Infelder Anderson from the Charlotte, South Atlantic league club.

The 15-day suspension imposed upon Pitcher Ray Caldwell of the New York Americans in St. Louis was to have expired yesterday, but as the club has not heard from the player since he has been laid off, the suspension has been made indefinite, manager Donegan said. Caldwell probably will be suspended for the remainder of the season.

Meanwhile, he proposed, after disposition of the shipping bill, the senate should take up the workers' compensation bill. If this program is carried out the revenue bill will be the last important measure to be acted upon this session.

Although some democrats are expectant to oppose some features of the bill Senator Simmons said he could see no reason why congress should not adjourn about Sept. 1.

The finance committee today added a provision that after 90 days following passage of the revenue bill, no fresh or frozen halibut or salmon from the North Pacific ocean shall be admitted to the United States through any foreign country except when they shall be in bond from an American port. This proposal is made to encourage Americans in this industry which has rapidly been taken over by Great Britain.

ASSAULT PAPER TRUST

WASHINGTON, Aug. 16.—Senator Martine of New Jersey assailed the so-called paper trust on the floor of the senate today because of the high prices of news print paper and submitted an amendment to the revenue bill to place paper and materials entering it on the free list of the tariff.

The revenue bill, as reported today, would place on the free list print paper costing up to five cents a pound. Under existing law paper costing up to  $\frac{1}{2}$  a pound is on the free list.

SUGAR DIVIDEND

HONOLULU, Aug. 16.—Six Hawaiian sugar plantations distributed \$491,000 today in monthly dividends.

CONFERENCE TO BE HELD IN  
WASHINGTON IS OF GREAT IN-  
TEREST IN THIS STATE

Special to The Sun

STATE HOUSE, Boston, Aug. 17.—An important conference, dealing with all the phases of social insurance, including workmen's compensation, old age insurance and pensions, widows' and orphans' insurance and pensions, and mothers' pensions, is to be held in Washington, D. C., Nov. 8 to 13 inclusive, under the auspices of the international association of industrial accident boards and commissions.

It is of peculiar interest to this state at this time, because Massachusetts at the present time has a special insurance problem.

Dudley M. Holman, president of the international association stated yesterday that everyone having views on any of the problems involved, whether they favor or oppose legislation, is invited either to attend the conference or submit his views in writing. It is planned to have the proceedings published by the United States bureau of statistics in advance of the meeting of the several state legislatures. In 1917, a copy of the proceedings, when published, may be had upon application to Dr. Royal Meeker, commissioner of labor statistics at Washington.

Included in the tentative program for the conference are the following subjects: Comparison of different forms of administration for workmen's compensation; comparison of different methods of carrying workmen's compensation insurance; shortcomings of present workmen's compensation laws; awards under workmen's compensation laws compared with settlements under liability laws; lump sum settlements, how far they are consistent with the principles of workmen's compensation.

Safety work in connection with workmen's compensation; merit rating as a method of accident prevention; cost to employer under workmen's compensation and under system formerly in force; occupational diseases, should they be covered by workmen's compensation; medical service and medical and hospital fees under the workmen's compensation; physical examination of employees; better accident statistics needed to show increases or decreases in accident rates; how measure the degree of permanent disability due to accidents.

What wage earners are covered, sick benefits provided, and the cost of such benefits in existing agencies, such as trade unions, establishment funds, mutual benefit funds and sickness insurance, and services in connection with existing agencies of sickness insurance and under state sickness insurance; essential features of an adequate system of state sickness insurance and its probable cost, and how existing systems may be incorporated in a state system of sickness insurance.

The need of a state system of invalidity and old-age insurance or pensions; what provision is made by existing agencies, and the essential features of a state system to provide such insurance, as well as insurance of widows, orphans and mothers.

The final day of the conference will include discussions of methods of regularizing industry to reduce unemployment; methods of reducing the labor turnover; organization of employment bureaus; existing agencies for unemployment insurance; and what system of unemployment insurance is practicable.

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## RIDING ON THE RUNNING BOARD

An accident in a neighboring city a few days ago, demonstrated the danger of riding upon the running board of open cars. While an automobile was passing such a car, a jitney shot between and side-swiped the running board of the car, knocking off all the men who stood there, killing the conductor and injuring many others.

That is a type of accident that might easily occur in this city, as the running boards of open cars are usually well loaded while jitneys are very numerous and many of their drivers very reckless. Yesterday, as is usual on working days, many cars were seen leaving the square with perhaps thirty or forty passengers on the running board. It would seem that the company should make a greater effort to provide more cars in the rush when the people get out of the mills.

The open car is a source of great danger, especially when passengers are piled two rows deep upon the running board. The passengers evidently are willing to take the risk because it is their only means of reaching their homes within reasonable time. But such conditions should not exist. There should be better accommodation for the passengers. The least that might be expected would be standing room inside a car instead of clinging to the outside.

There should be more of the semi-convertible cars which serve the same purpose as the open car, and also provide better protection for the passengers.

In Boston and other large cities this problem has been well nigh solved by what in Boston is known as the "Pre-payment car." Two ordinary cars are connected by a double vestibule entered by a low step from the street. The steps leading to the seats are inside this vestibule. Thus the inconvenience and danger of high steps so objectionable to women and aged people are overcome. The running of two cars together has the advantage of offering more room for patrons. The fare is paid on entering by dropping a nickel into a slot; and thus the conductor has time to attend to passengers getting on and off instead of spending most of his time collecting fares. Hence the public gets better service.

Why not try the prepayment cars in Lowell on the lines on which the traffic would warrant it? Such a combination car would obviate the practice now far too common of having nearly half the passengers on a car riding on the running board.

## MAP OF ELEVATED SYSTEM

It would be well for the Boston Elevated Railway company to publish a clear map of its lines, its tunnels, terminals and various routes. Probably not one tenth of the people who go to Boston know how they can best avail of the system to reach their respective points of destination. There is considerable that is perplexing to the average visitor in deciding between surface, tunnel and elevated cars. When a patron is told to go downstairs and take the subway he understands, but when told to go still further down and take the elevated, he may be confused if he becomes a little confused. This is the condition at Haymarket station.

The people who go to Boston quite frequently may soon become familiar with all the various lines and their connections; but for those who go but seldom, such a map as we have suggested would be very useful. They would enable patrons to select the most direct route to a given point without stopping to make inquiries of people who have little or no time to give a satisfactory answer.

It would pay the Elevated company to have such maps available to patrons at all its stations.

The system of transportation by surface subway and elevated cars through Boston and from Boston to outlying districts is undoubtedly one of the best in the world and that is why the public not only in Boston but in all the connecting towns and cities should be made familiar with its advantages.

## INFANTILE PARALYSIS

The physicians in New York are at their wits' end to find some remedy with which to combat the epidemic of infantile paralysis. They are now suggesting the injection of blood serum from the parents of the children affected on the assumption that as adults seem to be immune from the disease, there may be something in their blood that would act as an antidote to the disease in the veins of the child. That experiment is to be tried, but there is slight hope that it will prove effective.

The origin of the disease is still a mystery and is likely to remain so for some time. Some people think it may be spread from the lower animals such as cats and dogs. Recently cats in some of the neighboring cities have been victims of paralysis which cannot be explained. Still in the cities in which the cat disease has appeared, there are but a few cases of infantile paralysis. Good health, it is said, is not a protection against infantile paralysis. That is a statement which is open to doubt. The greater the child's

being a member of the democratic town committee in East Bridgewater, he is an appointee of ex-Gov. Walsh. Ex-Alderman Owen F. Davis, also a democrat, was strenuously cross-examining a witness when City Solicitor Winfield M. Wilbar, republican, interposed.

"Mr. Davis has asked every question possible except who will be the next president," said Wilbar.

"There's no need of asking that," retorted Davis. "I know who will be elected."

"The court," said Judge Thorndike, with a twinkle in his eye, "is inclined to take the same view of the election as you do, Mr. Davis."

Thus was the matter decided, but it is intimated that the city solicitor, good republican that he is, will appeal from the ruling.

## SUFFOLK COUNTY MUDDLE

That is certainly some muddle in which Suffolk county finds itself in regard to the reapportionment of the representative districts. The validity of the report given out by the redistricting board is to be passed upon by the supreme court and if it be condemned, then according to the plan of the attorney general, a special session of the legislature will be called to correct the situation and extend the date for filing nomination papers for the September primaries. The republicans have brought the matter to the courts claiming that the apportionment is unfair and not in accordance with the intent of the law. Oh! how the republicans do squeal when their ox is gored. If it were the democratic animal that suffered, of course it would merely be the subject of good laugh. The democrats have been the victims of some highhanded gerrymanders in their time; but they have usually submitted and started a colonization movement by which they soon defeated the republican scheme. The "repubs" should not complain when treated to a pungent dose of their own medicine.

## THE FATE OF POLAND

The offer of Austria to set up an independent government for the Poles under her jurisdiction comes too late. Poland has suffered most of any country, not excepting Belgium, from the war, inasmuch as the greater part of it has been swept over and over again by the fiercest ravages of war and the people left homeless to starve. All the children in Poland are dead, many thousands of the adults have died of starvation, while other thousands upon thousands have been slaughtered as a result of the frequent ebb and flow of the terrible tide of war between the Central powers and Russia. It is to be hoped that what remains of the Polish people will be given a government of their own as a reward for their martyrdom of suffering during this war.

## SLIP ON THE TAX BILLS

The city treasurer of Haverhill somehow ran afoul of the law in making out the tax bills for the present year. The error came in stating the date on which the interest should begin on unpaid tax bills. The tax bill said "taxes unpaid October 2 shall be subject to interest at the rate of 6 per cent. from September 1." The law says interest is payable only from September 15. The expense of making over the tax bills will eat up a considerable portion of the interest.

## HUGHES ON WOMAN'S RIGHTS

Candidate Hughes in the woman suffrage states is expatiating so strongly upon his devotion to the cause of woman's rights, that it is difficult to believe that he is a recent convert to the cause or that his change of heart was brought about by political expediency. It is alleged that he did not consider the question of suffrage of sufficient interest in his own state last fall, to bring him home to vote for it. His record in support of woman's rights dates back only to the opening of his present campaign for votes.

A farm hand aged 47, at Duck Pond road near Westbrook, Me., has attempted suicide three times and threatens to end the job if he cannot wed the fifteen-year-old daughter of his employer. He is evidently one of the dangerous characters who would end it all with a revolver and perhaps murder the girl whose life he is not permitted to ruin. He should be locked up until such times as he learns to respect the rights of others. There are too many such brutes at large.

Senator Lodge predicts a landslide for Candidate Hughes. That is in accordance with the hot air campaign now being conducted by the republican party. Senator Lodge will not find any landslide in his behalf when ex-Mayor John F. Fitzgerald gets after him.

## WILSON TO BE RE-ELECTED

Court Says So—Now Make Your Bets  
—Report Republican City Solicitor  
Will Appeal From Ruling

BROCKTON, Aug. 17.—It has now been legally settled that President Wilson is to be re-elected. A ruling apparently to that effect was made yesterday morning in the local police court by Judge Herbert C. Thorndike, who, by the way, is a good democrat.

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At the time of going to press everybody was happy and all were congratulating the efficient committees for the great time provided. At 5:30 o'clock the return journey will be made by rail. The general outing committee was made up of the following hustlers:

James H. Walker, chairman; Arthur T. Cull, secretary; Joseph Haggerty, treasurer; William Scott, John J. Lee, Fred H. Kourke, Harry Pitts, Thomas H. Kelley, Charles F. Gilmore, William H. Mahan, James E. Donnelly, Max L. Katze, Joseph F. Burns, Edward J. Handley, Elias J. McQuade, Christopher J. Hagan, John J. Healey, John J. Dawson, Edwin W. Kilpatrick, Eugene Y. Brown, and Samuel Scott.

The other committees were:

Grounds—William Scott, John J. Lee, Fred H. Kourke.

Printing and Publicity—Arthur T. Cull, John J. Healey, Chris J. Hagan.

Souvenirs—Elias J. McQuade, Joseph F. Burns, Samuel Scott.

Catering—James H. Walker, John J. Dawson, Edwin W. Kilpatrick.

Musical Entertainment—William H. Mahan, Edward J. Handley, James E. Donnelly.

Sports and Prizes—Eugene Y. Brown, Harry Pitts, Thomas H. Kelley.

Transportation—Joseph Haggerty, Charles F. Gilmore, Max L. Katze.

Police—James H. Walker, Arthur T. Cull.

HUGH PLOT REVEALED — GANG WAS TO HAVE PRINTED \$1,000,000 AND QUIT

NEW YORK, Aug. 17.—A conspiracy to manufacture and circulate \$1,000,000 of counterfeit silver certificates and United States Treasury notes was frustrated here yesterday by William J. Flynn, chief of the government secret service, and several of his assistants.

Eight arrests were made, after raids on a house at Grant City, Staten Island, and one in East 9th street, this city. A complete counterfeiting outfit was found consisting of photographic apparatus, lithographic presses, electrolyzing and etching tools, paper and colored inks.

An illicit wine and liquor blending plant also was unearthed. Two of the men taken in custody were operating this plant, it was alleged.

According to the secret service men, the counterfeeters apparently were well supplied with money, their outfit alone having cost upwards of \$2000.

The scheme, the government agents said they were informed, was to manufacture the \$1,000,000 in bills, then destroy the plant before attempting to dispose of the bogus money.

Seventy photographic negatives of genuine bills already had been made and the impressions transferred to gelatine and wax plates. Some of these, after having been electro-plated, had been etched. Pieces of silk and human hair also were used in the process of making the counterfeits.

Chief Flynn declared last night that the ringleader of the alleged conspiracy is an expert photo engraver and etcher. The work of fitting up the plant, it was said, began several months ago, and was carried on as quietly as possible.

ELKS' OUTING  
Continued

weather when good fellows get together," and if ever good fellows got together, that little thing happened to day. On all sides there was good fellowship and when the history of today's outing is written all who attended will undoubtedly refer to it as the "best ever."

During the morning hours, the Elks' band, under the direction of James Buckley, gave several concerts in the downtown district, first playing at the rooms and later at city hall, Towler's corner and the depot. The excellent music attracted many and when the time arrived for the street parade, the number of participants was the largest in the history of the local lodge.

When the noon day bells began to toll, the Elks and their friends forgot all about toll and wended their way to the scene of activities. The crowd attracted others, but inasmuch as arrangements had been made to handle a record number, everything went off like clockwork. Each man was presented a flag as a souvenir of the occasion, and with this accomplished everything was in readiness for the street parade.

The Street Parade

"Strike up the band," said Commissioner James E. Donnelly, marshal of the parade, and a lively march was played, as all fell into line. After Marshal Donnelly and the band came a number of automobiles with James Walker, chairman of the outing committee in the first machine. The other members of the general committee, as well as many members of the lodge, occupied machines, but the great majority emulated Dan O'Leary.

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## THE SPELLBINDER

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#### AMUSEMENT NOTES

##### B. F. KEITH'S THEATRE

With Governor McCall in a peck of trouble over some of his appointments, and not any too strong with his own party, it behoves the democrats not to get mixed up over any anti-crusade differences for by a united front on election day an excellent opportunity will be afforded to elect a democratic governor. Former-Governor Walsh, Chairman O'Leary of the democratic state committee, and other state leaders appear to favor Hon. Charles S. Cole, former adjutant-general, as the candidate. Mr. Humphrey O'Sullivan, of this city, is said to be a supporter of Hon. Peter W. Mansfield. Mr. Mansfield is reported to have sold that he will remain in the contest until the primaries have named their choice. Both democratic candidates are eminently estimable and will be strong vote-getters. Mr. Mansfield being in particularly good favor with the labor vote of the primaries.

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**Appointing More Firemen**

Commissioner Putnam appears to be trying a difficult time trying to put a few more permanent firemen. He wants to place five new men in the department, but can't do it unless he gets the money that was originally intended for additional apparatus. At the present time the finances of his department will permit of the addition of two men, but it would seem that the commissioner wants to place five more. There are two men awaiting appointment who were once appointed former Commissioner Barlow. They are taken from the list of call-men, and the law provides that a call-man for a certain period of service may be appointed without the formality of civil service examination. The two men gave up their occupations and increased their uniforms and had been to positions but a short time when someone discovered that their period

of service as call-men had lacked a few months of the length of time required by the civil service law, and shortly afterward the civil service commission demanded their discharge. Since then they have been faithfully performing their duties as call-men and are now eligible for appointment. A great deal of sympathy has been expressed for these two men and the public generally would like to see them appointed. Why not appoint them two, and the other three later when the money is in sight? It's a pretty good bet that the municipal council will not vote the transfer of the \$3000 voted for additional apparatus to an appropriation for new men.

#### Lively Representative Contest

On Saturday at 6 o'clock in the afternoon, all local nomination papers must be filed, the city clerk's office open on that afternoon for the accommodation of the prospective candidates. Already the new 11th district which includes wards 1, 2 and 9, presents a formidable array of talent, all three wards in the district being represented among the candidates. Representative Murphy, of course, is a candidate, and most of the others concede his nomination, and are looking for the second nomination for the district allows two representatives. The other democrats in the contest are former Representative Thomas Cough, former Alderman Owen E. Brennan, George Tyrrell, James Dacey, Joseph W. Farrell, former Councilman Garrett H. Royal, Charles H. Stowey and John McMahon. And while the district is several hundred democratic, two republicans who probably laugh at adverse majorities are in the running for the republican nomination. Roderick Chisholm and Arthur E. Judd having taken out papers. In the ward 4-5 district indications point to a repetition of the old fight of a year ago, for last year's three candidates, Rep. O'Connell, Hon. John F. Roane, Jr., and Thos. P. Corbett are in it again and John F. O'Day of Church street has taken out papers. This looks like a lively campaign.

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In the course of a Child of the Parish, will be shown in B. F. Keith's theatre, the final half of this week, beginning today, some thrilling insight is given into the training of the Apaches, as the notorious gangsters of the French capital are called. Among other scenes is one in which practice brings them to the point of killing a dummy which is used by the young pickpockets, to see if they can rifle the pockets without jingling the bells on the dummy. Truly Marshall, a splendid character actor, will play the part of the slickest of thieves, and others in the cast will be Max Marsh and Right. Heron, the comic star of the piece. This is also one of the best of things. The comedy of the last half of the week is "Hearts and Sparks," with Hawk Mann in the principal part. The Hearst International News Weekly will show the very latest of views, and the Matt and J. W. Gandy cartoon will be in Butch Fisher's famous room. Altogether it will be a great show.

##### MERRIMACK SQUARE THEATRE

The program of fine photo-plays at the Merrimack Square theatre changes today. These which were so thoroughly enjoyed by the patrons of this theatre during the past three days have been replaced by the features which were promised in the public of this city and town. The new bill consists of a dummy which is used by the young pickpockets, to see if they can rifle the pockets without jingling the bells on the dummy. Truly Marshall, a splendid character actor, will play the part of the slickest of thieves, and others in the cast will be Max Marsh and Right. Heron, the comic star of the piece.

This year the republicans in many places will have an opportunity to square accounts with the democrats by voting the democratic ticket in the primaries. Last year, it will be recalled, there were no contests among the democrats except in a few representative districts and hence the democrats took part in the republican primaries and while the man they nominated, Hon. Samuel McCall, defeated Governor Walsh, on election day, they had the satisfaction of keeping Grafton Casting out of the running, and that appears to have been their purpose. This year, the republicans have no fights on the state ticket, though in Lowell there may be contests in the senatorial and representative districts, on account of new lines that will keep them on their own side of the fence in the primaries.

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Robert Edeson, the strongest character actor in America, will be seen in a Vitagraph offering Friday at the Royal. He plays in "A Woman's Part Name," Coming, "The Yellow Menace" and "The Girl from Frisco."

##### OWL THEATRE

Virginia Pearson, the noted southern beauty, is starred in "Hypocrisies," a gripping five-act Fox feature film, exposing the shams of modern society, which will be the attraction at the cool Owl theatre this afternoon and evening. Other excellent photoplays will also be shown.

##### CANOBIE LAKE

The Orpheus club of Nashua will tonight have their concert at Canobie Lake park theatre and it is an event the populace of all the near-by cities have been waiting for as their reputation as musicians is well known and their ability has been proven many times. There are 73 members, first-class artists, including Mrs. Teste, soprano and Miss Marguerite Webster, violinist. The concert starts at 8:15 and takes the place of the regular vaudeville which is omitted for one evening.

Again tomorrow will vaudeville hold sway, these four acts that have been added to the bill in support of the comedy sketch of Mr. Hayes will be presented. The first three days of the week brought many to the park who had heard of the wonderful bill and they were well repaid for their com-

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ing. In addition to the comedy is "Lady Horse," a full-blooded Alaskan Indian, who entertains with songs and story. The Canobie City Four, a clever quartet of comedy artists, Soden, Dradoff in "Funny Caprices" and others.

The following program will be offered by the Orpheus Glee Club of Nashua at the Canobie Lake Park theatre this evening. Come On the Sea.....Bullard, Hirs Katti, The Orpheus Glee club, Hubray, The Orpheus Glee club, Habanera—from Carmen.....Blitz, Mrs. Tessier-Desparios, Sunset.....Van de Water, Orpheus male quartet, Comrade Sing.....Bullard, I Hear, a Thrush at Eve.....Cadman, Mrs. Desparios, Slumber Song.....Warren, The Orpheus Glee club, a Pierrot, serenade.....Raudenber, Caprice, Mimosas.....Kreisler, Mrs. Webster, A Perfect Day.....Bead, The Orpheus Glee club.

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Point alleged that after the complaint had been made by her for assault and battery and prior to the hearing of the charges George called at her house and threatened to kill her. He denied ever entering the house after the complainant had been made.

During the progress of the case Daniel J. Donahue, who appeared for defendant and Malon E. J. Noyes, who represented the government, got into frequent arguments and indulged in personalities until Judge Fisher finally said: "I don't think that with the evidence both of you men have that I should be annoyed by this colony." This put an end to the bantering and after the testimony had been offered the court found the defendant not guilty and ordered him discharged.

Settled Out of Court

George Lazopoulos was charged with the larceny of \$50.26 from a fellow countryman but by agreement of counsel the case was dismissed, the court being informed that civil settlement had been made. According to the story told by the court by counsel there was a man in this city who was very ill and wanted to go back to Greece in order to attempt to recover his health and \$50.26 was raised to send him across. A physician was consulted and he said he would be useless to send the man to his home as he would die on the way. A short time later the man died and it is said the defendant sent the money to Greece for another cause. When complaint was made against him he made restitution and the complainant withdrew the complaint.

This propaganda is aimed to defeat the crusade for restricted families. The strength of a nation lies in these days of wars, on a healthy and moral population, and any effort tending to reduce the birth-rate is an insidious attack on our nation.

The scenes of "The Unborn" are laid in a western city, and the added interest that attaches to country environment that affords opportunities to see the grand visits of Colorado's mountains. It is a human story, teeming with life-interest and preaches a great moral that should not go unheeded. Too seldom are patrons of moving pictures given an opportunity to see a drama in the sense of serious crises with it the appeal and moral which is embodied in this big drama.

The management have decided to exclude all children under sixteen years of age whether accompanied by adults or not, thus making it unobjectionable to the authorities.

##### PERSONALS

Miss Farnham, a nurse at the Lowell General hospital, isjourning at Old Orchard, Me.

Miss Anna Crowe of Mammoth road is spending the latter part of August in Providence, R. I.

John F. White former manager of the P & Q store is in this city renewing old acquaintances.

Minnie Asley of Cheever, N. H., is visiting Mrs. Osborne of 27 Wyman street.

Miss E. D. Foss of 206 Wortham street will spend the next two weeks at Ocean Park, Me.

Harry Chaplin is spending two months at Palm beach, Fla., with his daughter, Madeline.

Miss Nora Larkin and Miss Lillian Flanagan are spending two weeks with Mrs. Ford at Salisbury beach.

Mrs. Clara E. Joy of Fourth street will spend the next two months at her home at Knox, Me.

After a very pleasant visit with relatives and friends, Hugh Rogers has returned to his home in Hamilton, Ont.

Miss Anna O'Neill of Crowley street is spending two weeks at Peaks Island, Maine.

Miss Kitty Doherty of Penn avenue will spend the next two weeks at Lynde and other beaches on the north shore.

Mr. Albert Lafluer has returned from a two weeks' vacation at Old Orchard beach.

Miss Ella Larkin is spending the summer months at Old Orchard beach with her aunt, Mrs. Burke.

The Misses Ella O'Connell and Mae F. Culver are enjoying their vacation at Old Orchard.

Mrs. Mary Haydon has just returned from a three weeks' vacation enjoyed at Revere beach.

Miss Ethel Winslow of Lincoln street will spend the next two weeks at Salmon Falls.

Miss Mary Fox of Durand street will spend next week in Montpelier, Vt., the guest of Miss Rose Doyle of that city.

The Misses Mary Ruth, Elizabeth Murphy, Catherine Lane, Helen Lane and Catherine Conway are at Pine Island farm, N. H., for two weeks.

**INVESTIGATE WHEAT ADVANCE**

LONDON, Aug. 17.—In reference to the recent discussion of the high price of wheat, which has been attributed to some quarters to speculation here and in Chicago, Sir Charles Ackland, parliamentary under-secretary to the board of agriculture, advances the opinion that speculation in this country has had no great influence. The subject is being investigated by the government.

Sir Charles was asked in the house of commons whether the board of trade had any reason to think that stocks of wheat on passage to this country or landed here from abroad were in the hands of speculators. He replied:

"The board has no reason to think that stocks of wheat landed or on passage are being unduly held off the market, or that the present price of wheat in any material degree is attributable to speculation in this country."

Most of those involved agreed to await Mr. Cahill's answer, but others refused and walked out. Sir. Cahill did not say as he was quoted yesterday, that the men who went out are longer considered employees. Those who went out are non-union men, as the latter are all at work under the contract made at the close of the big strike. It is expected that this little trouble will be speedily settled.

##### SUN BREVITIES

Best printing: Tobin's, Asso. Bldg. Expert vulcanizing: Hebeatre's.

J. F. Donohoe, 213 Hillside bldg. real estate and insurance. Telephone: Join Leeds' tour to Washington Sept. 1. A few places left. Call 25 Bridge st.

A dog which became frenzied on account of a bone lodged in its throat around like mad in the house of George B. Colburn at 202 Shaw street last night, frightening the occupants of the house. Special Officer Gilmore of the humane society was called and he found it necessary to end the dog's life.

Capt. Harold G. Patten of the Eighth regiment, who was recently released from service at the Mexican border by the new ruling by which officers of the inspector of small arms practice were abolished, has returned to his home in Tewksbury. Capt. Patten left the border Aug. 8.

Capt. Patten speaks interestingly on the improvement of conditions at the border during the past few weeks. The building of roads in the tents which was made possible in Co. M through the generosity of Lowell people has been a wonderful help, he says.

A pretty wedding took place from the home of Mrs. Jeremiah Beardson, 15 Marion street, when their daughter, Mary Josephine, was married in marriage to Albert J. Ford at St. Patrick's rectory at 11 o'clock Wednesday, by the Rev. James J. Kerrigan. The bride was John Collins of Philadelphia, Pa., while Miss Eleanor F. Beardson, sister of the bride, was bridegroom. The groom's gift was a set of cuff links and the bridegroom's gift was a

traveling bag. The bride was attired in white embroidered net and carried bridal roses. The bridegroom also wore embroidered net of the same color and carried Killarney roses. The young couple received numerous gifts from their many friends, among which were presents from Philadelphia, Friends were present from Philadelphia, Fitchburg, Lawrence and Granville. At 2:30 the newlyweds left on a honeymoon trip to Coney Island, Philadelphia and Niagara, and will be at home on Sept. 1, at 222 High street.

##### IN POLICE COURT

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## TO FIGHT PARALYSIS

### MEASURES TO PREVENT SPREAD OF DISEASE DISCUSSED AT WASHINGTON

WASHINGTON, Aug. 17.—Measures to prevent further spread of infantile paralysis were discussed here today in a conference called by the public health service under the authority of congress for such councils in an epidemic of national danger.

Delegates from nearly all states were present today with detailed reports of the spread of the plague over the country.

The imposition of new regulations to prevent interstate transmission of the disease is not the primary object of the conference, but in welcoming the delegates, Secretary Meadon expressed hope for federal state co-operation of preventive measures and regulations.

"Local regulations are of great variety and while entirely commendatory, co-operation of regulations is needed to avoid unnecessary inconven-

tences and still give adequate protection to the public," said he.

Assistant Surgeon General A. H. Glenn in the absence of Surgeon General Blue opened the conference, which is expected to continue two days. Assistant Surgeon Gen. A. C. Pucker presided.

#### FEWER CASES TODAY

NEW YORK, Aug. 17.—In four out of the five boroughs of the greater city the epidemic of infantile paralysis took a turn for the better today. It was the third consecutive day that a decrease was shown in the number of deaths and new cases. During the 24-hour period ending at 10 o'clock the plague killed 22 children and 121 were stricken. This compares favorably with yesterday's figures, which showed 34 deaths and 133 new cases. Total cases now number 6774 and deaths 1529.

#### AGREEABLY SURPRISED

Officer John T. Whitaker, better known as "Tom" Whitaker, one of the keepers at the police station and Mrs. Whitaker, were agreeably surprised at their home in Sheld street Tuesday night when a number of friends of the happy couple called and spent the evening with them. The evening was spent in an enjoyable manner.

## TWO MORE FOR BORDER

### TWO LOWELL YOUNG MEN LEFT THIS AFTERNOON FOR FORT BANKS

The following recruits were examined and passed this morning at the recruiting office, armory, in Westford street:

Warren P. Rogers, single, born at Byfield, Mass., December 17, 1892. He served three years in the coast artillery, U.S.A. He was examined by Dr. R. W. Parker this forenoon and left on the 1:45 train for Boston en route to Fort Banks. Rogers enlisted for M Co., 9th Inf., N. G. Mass. He resided at 8 Hutchinson street, Lowell.

Fred E. Trudeau, single, born in St. Jean, Sherbrooke, Quebec, and has taken up his first papers. Is 27 years old and is a butcher. Trudeau enlisted yesterday and was examined by Dr. R. W. Parker this morning. He passed as physically perfect and left with Rogers on the 1:45 train for Fort Banks. He resided at 786 Merrimack street and desires to serve in M Co., 9th Inf., N. G. Mass.

## WILLIAM A. McDONALD

### WAS LAST SEEN HERE WELL KNOWN LOWELL YOUNG MAN PASSED AWAY YESTERDAY AFTER A BRUDE ILLNESS

William A. McDonald, a well known popular young man of this city, died yesterday at his home in Bridge street, after an illness of only a few days. He was about 35 years old. He was a man of strong attachments and was very loyal to his friends. He had many admirable traits of character and his jovial spirit drew to him a host of friends and acquaintances. His un-

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Continued

ent to bring out the townspeople in great numbers.

The annual outing of St. Andrew's church always affords entertainment for all who attend and today's affair was no exception. Rev. David J. Murphy, pastor of the church, assisted by an able corps of committeemen have worked earnestly to make this year's outing a huge success and their efforts were rewarded.

A unique feature was introduced this year in the form of a marathon which in reality started the afternoon's program. Ten runners from Lowell, Billerica, and surrounding towns were entered to start from St. Andrew's church at 12:45 o'clock and run to Pinehurst park. The entries were: Christie Davis, Goddard, Couture, Lyons, Chambers, Esther, Mahoney, and Flynn.

Following the arrival of the marathon runners at the park, Chairman Bill Taylor of the sports committee and Assistant Frank Mullin started right in with their program which was enjoyed by all. Prizes were awarded to the winners of all events. These included a mile run on the highway, 100 yards dash, fat men's race, relay race for girls, potato race, blueberry pie eating contest, coat race for girls, shoe contest, sawdust scramble, hop, step and jump and tug of war. There was no baseball game this afternoon but the other sporting events made up for this.

Besides the sports there were many other attractions in the park which contained a lively midway. There were stands where refreshments could be obtained, and tables and booths conducted by different societies of the church. The "barkers" were in good voice and nobody got by them without digging a couple of times.

This evening dancing will be enjoyed in the Pinehurst park pavilion and there will be a musical program.

The officers and committees in charge were as follows: Chairman, John R. Kinslins; treasurer, Edward Riley; secretary, Nell R. Mahoney. Chairman Rose club table, Miss Anne T. Mahoney; Chairman married ladies' table, Mrs. T. J. McCarthy. Chairman men's booth: Carl Delaney; assistant, Edward Costello. Chairman sporting committee: William Taylor; assistant, Frank Mullin. Chairman music committee: J. Frederick Gannou. Chairman dance committee, Daniel McSweeney; assistants, Owen O'Toole and Edward O'Connell.

#### THE TAX RATE

It was expected that the tax rate for 1916 would be announced today by the assessors, but action has been postponed until tomorrow. The members of the municipal council will hold a special meeting tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock for the purpose of taking action on the \$5000 asked for by the school department for the maintenance of schools for the remainder of the year. If the council votes the above amount it will be included in this year's tax and may mean an increase of about 3 cents per thousand.

#### OLD FERRY LANE

The grievance between the residents of Middlesex Village, the city of Lowell and the Lowell & Nashua railroad over the proposed closing of Ferry Lane in Middlesex street, has been settled, according to City Solicitor Varnum, who stated today that the lane will remain open. The railroad company has agreed to establish two freight yards instead of one in the district, one on each side of the lane. It is understood that the railroad company purchased a large tract of land from Hon. Samuel P. Hadley on one side of the lane, which will be converted into a freight yard, and accordingly the company has changed its plans and the new plans which do not call for the closing of the lane have been approved by the public service commission.

#### STATE PRIMARIES

The following candidates have taken out nomination papers for the state primaries and some of them have had them certified by the city clerk and the board of registrars:

Senator, 5th district: Clarence B. Livingston, George E. Marchand and Arthur W. Moore, all Republicans. Senator, 7th district: Burton H. Crosby, republican.

Representative 14th district: Arthur E. Judd, R.; Dennis A. Murphy, D.; Garret G. Royal, D.; Charles B. Sloane, D.; Joseph W. Farrell, D.; Rodrick Chisholm, R.; John McMahon, D.; George Terrell and F. Cuff, D.

15th district: John B. Lindsay, R.; Abraham S. Goldman, R.; Victor F. Reid, R.; Henry Arbin, Jr., R.; Hercules A. Toupin, D.

16th district: Thomas J. Corbett, D.; John F. Roone, Jr., D.; John B. O'Dea and John J. O'Connell, D.

County commissioners: Erson B. Barlow and Charles H. McIntire, R.

Register of deeds: William C. Purcell, D.; Frank K. Stearns, R.

#### CONTRACT FOR WOOD

Purchasing Agent Foye has granted a contract for 50 cords of hard cleft wood for the Chelmsford Street hospital to A. A. Brown, who was the only bidder; his bid being \$2.54 a cord.

The last lot of wood purchased was about six months ago and \$1.50 a cord was paid, and Mr. Foye said the low price was due to the fact that the owner of the wood had a lot of wood on hand he wished to dispose of and the city benefited.

#### MUNICIPAL CONCERT

The mayor announced this morning that there will be a municipal band concert on the South common Sunday evening at 8 o'clock. He will select the band later.

This is the last week for the Washburn Midway Shows being conducted under the auspices of the Y.M.C.A.

## STATE MAY TAKE BRIDGE

### Hampton Beach Board of Trade Objects to Tolls Paid to Street Railway

HAMPTON BEACH, Aug. 17.—An extensive effort is being made at the instigation of the local board of trade to have the state of New Hampshire take over the mile-long bridge in conjunction with the route from the state line to Rye beach, which is being urged for a state highway. This is a new chapter in the fight being made by the business men of Hampton to eliminate the tolls which are collected on the structure, and which they believe have a tendency to impair certain beach affairs.

Previous chapters in the toll bridge fight have revealed the willingness of the Northeastern Street Railway company to sell its holdings at a figure, approximately \$75,000, but now it is learned that in the very near future an expenditure of \$50,000 will be necessary for the improvement of the bridge.

Board of trade members are making the issue a far-reaching one and have already enlisted the aid of the A.L.A., the prominent automobile association. Also big New Hampshire business interests have given the project consideration and announced their intention to lend efforts in the endeavor to be made on the state legislation in the fall, when the case will be presented.

Recently the board of trade sent circular letters all over the state regarding the matter. As a consequence many converts have been gained for the cause. Automobile associations and automobile owners in various parts of the country have also been communicated with. These communications bear emphasis on the fact that the bridge and highway is the main artery of travel for thousands of automobile drivers who do not make Hampton their destination. This makes the movement more widespread.

Assurances of big legal support have been given the board of trade. A fund of data concerning bridge traffic is being compiled and the case, where ready for presentation before the legislature, is expected to reveal some startling conditions.

#### WESTFORD BOY SCOUTS

The members of Troop 1, Boy Scouts of Westford, are camping out on the north shore of Hart's pond, where some are preparing for their second-class examinations, which are to be held next month. The Lowell executives recently paid a visit to their camp and found the arrangements for the boys' welfare in excellent condition. The camp is situated on high and dry land with a fine view of the lake.

The following boys are registered at the camp: George Perkins, Alfred Sutherland, Charles Griffin, Artemus Griffin, Fred Griffin, Fred Robinson C. Johnson, Herbert Shea, Gordon Seay, Otis Day, Bertram Sutherland, Fred Amesbury, W. Socorels, Joe Richardson, P. Clement, C. Miller, L. H. Hildreth, M. Seavey, H. Judd, R. Shea, F. Perkins, Kenneth Lindsay, Carl Anderson and Eric Anderson.

#### Alkali in Soap

Bad For the Hair

Soap should be used very carefully, if you want to keep your hair looking its best. Most soap and prepared shampoos contain too much alkali. This dries the scalp and makes the hair brittle, and ruins it.

The best thing for steady use is just ordinary mulsified coconut oil (which is pure and greaseless), an

or one or two teaspoonsful will cleanse the hair and scalp thoroughly. Simply moisten the hair with water and rub it in. It makes an abundant lather, which rinses out easily, removing every particle of dust, dirt, dandruff and excessive oil. The hair dries quickly and evenly, and it leaves the scalp soft and the hair fine and silky, bright, lustrous, shiny and easy to manage.

You can get mulsified coconut oil at any pharmacy. It's very cheap and a few ounces will supply even.

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Forrest F. Collier of Billerica has filed a petition with the supreme judicial court in Boston for a writ of mandamus to compel Billerica officials to take such steps as may be necessary to protect his interests. Mr. Collier was a candidate for selectman and was defeated at a special election on Saturday, July 22, by Prescott L. Pauchie by one vote.

In his declaration, Mr. Collier represents that he received 201 votes and Mr. Pauchie 202 votes, and that on his petition for re-count, a recount was held in which Albert H. Richardson was illegally a participant, also, the one ballot in which the intent of the voter to vote for Mr. Collier was apparent, had been called a blank by the men recounting, and one ballot marked for both Collier and Pauchie had been cast for Pauchie.

Mr. Collier asks the supreme court to rule on the points raised, and the court has ordered a hearing in Boston Friday, Sept. 1, at 9:30 a.m.

#### Eagles Notice

The exercises of our order will be held at the home of our late brother William A. McDonald, 831 Bridge street tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock.

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## TAX RATE FOR 1916 IS \$21.20 PER THOUSAND

Advance of 40 Cents Over Last Year—Increase Not as Great as Was Expected

The assessors this afternoon announced the tax rate for the present year as \$21.20. This is an increase of 40 cents over last year's rate of \$20.80.

That the increase in the tax rate was not more than 40 cents is somewhat of a surprise, and a pleasant surprise, too, as it was generally believed that the tax rate for 1916 would reach the \$22 mark and perhaps a little more.

The net gain in real estate is \$704,885; net gain in personal property, \$933,441; total, \$1,695,926.

The total valuation of 1916 is \$84,414,073. The total value of personal property, \$25,051,773; real estate, \$69,322,300.

The total valuation for 1915 was \$82,716,047.

The total value of land for this year is \$27,767,770, a loss of \$43,675 from the total of last year. The total value of the buildings this year is \$41,554,-

### PARLIAMENT WILL ADJOURN NEXT WEEK

LONDON, Aug. 17.—Premier Asquith announced today that parliament would adjourn on Tuesday or Wednesday next until October 10.

### ARE ORDERED RELEASED

MEMBERS OF NATIONAL GUARD WHO REFUSED TO TAKE FEDERAL OATH RELEASED

BOSTON, Aug. 17.—Rockwell C. Tenny of Springfield, and Jay B. Angenue of Brookline, members of the Massachusetts National Guard, detained for military duty at the Framingham mobilization camp after their refusal to take the new federal oath of service, were ordered released on writs of habeas corpus by Judge Dodge in the United States district court today.

The government asked for the dismissal of petitions in similar proceedings filed by Clinton W. Jackson and Alfred P. Lowell, of Boston, on the ground that they had subscribed to the oath under the Dick bill and were regular members of the militia. Denial of this statement was made by counsel for the men who charged that they were mustered in under duress and by alleged threats of a court martial.

Judge Dodge announced that he would hear arguments on the motion later and it was expected that militia officers would be called upon to testify as to the charge of duress.

The court's decision in the case of Tenny and Angenue was expected by counsel for the militiamen in view of the recent action by Judge Dodge in ordering the release of Alexander M. Emerson, a member of the same troop on habeas corpus proceedings. The government had appealed from that decision and it was announced yesterday that special sitting of the circuit court of appeals, the findings of which probably will be accepted by the war department as final, will be held within the next few weeks to determine the exact status of militiamen under the national defense act.

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We hear this phrase over and over again. It tends to emphasize the great change that has taken place between the "before" and "after." We hear it applied very often in reference to the present war, as to the state of the world "before" and "after" the war. Likewise, "before" and "after" may be applied to Chalifoux's.

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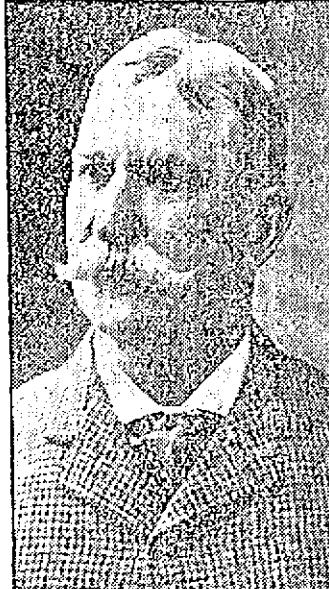
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## LOWELL ELKS IN TYNGSBORO

Annual Outing of Local Lodge at Martin Luther Grounds

Band Concerts and Street Parade Features of Big Event

Special Outing Train Under the Direction of "Joe" Haggerty



JAMES H. WALKER  
Chairman

"Hello, Bill!"

This popular greeting, famous in Elkdom throughout the world, was heard on all sides in this city today, for the time for the annual outing of the local lodge had arrived. While the official starting hour for today's big event did not occur until noon, long before that time the committee in

charge was busy at headquarters, extending the glad hand to all comers and hustling with the final details of the mammoth outing.

The weather man, being an Elk, of the thirty-third degree, of course handed out an ideal day for the affair, and the excellent atmospheric conditions brought out a great crowd. Shortly before the noon hour the guests began to reach the lodge rooms. There was "Big Bill," "Little Bill," "Bill" and "Wii" and many others



JOSEPH HAGGERTY  
Treasurer

not sporting the cognomen of the order, but all were "Bills" in spirit. It was indeed a merry gathering, and each and every one entered into the spirit of the occasion and assisted in making "everybody happy" and elated at the opportunity to be with the "best people on earth." It has often been said that "It is always fair

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## BIG GAINS FOR FRENCH

Consolidating Newly Won Ground on Somme—German Resistance in Galicia—Activity in Balkans

After scoring important gains along a front of nearly three miles in the Somme region, both north and south of the river the French are consolidating the newly won ground, making preparations for the expected German counter stroke.

### Artillery Activity

No such attack developed last night but the Paris bulletin today reports intense artillery activity north of Maurepas where the French yesterday, in conjunction with the British, effected their most telling advance, capturing more than three quarters of a mile of trenches.

### New Allied Advances

The new allied advance north of the Somme weakens the hold of the Germans on Guillemon and Maurepas which latter place the French already partially hold. The objective of the operation is the important railway center of Peronne, nearly opposite which, south of the river, the French yesterday also scored a gain in the region of Bellay-en-Santerre.

### Embargo on Grain Shipments

BALTIMORE, Md., Aug. 17.—On account of accumulation, an embargo, effective Aug. 16, has been placed by the Baltimore & Ohio railroad on all grain shipments for export from here. The notice says that shipments filled up to and including Aug. 15 will be accepted.

Everything which will please and entertain both young and old can be seen at the Washburn Midway Shows now being run under the auspices of the Y.M.C.A. on First street. The receipts of this show will go to the Benefit of the Soldiers' Relief Fund.

ering the operation announced by Paris last night in this region.

### German Resistance

Further indications of the stiffening of the Teutonic resistance to the Russian advance in Galicia is contained in today's bulletin from Petrograd, which records no new advances and announces renewed counter attacks by the Austro-German forces. The capture of 7500 additional prisoners and 46 guns by Gen. Brusiloff's armies is announced.

### Activity in Balkans

Indication of important activity in the Balkans is increasing. The entente forces on the Macedonian front are not freely employing their artillery but are frequently sending their infantry to the attack. A Bulgarian official statement today reports two such attacks in the region of Lake Doiran, about 35 miles northwest of Saloniki, but declares each was repulsed.

### Exports to Sweden Dependent Upon Production of a Guarantee

LONDON, Aug. 17.—A proclamation is about to be issued prohibiting the

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### COASTWISE SHIPPING

ENGINEERS GIVE HEARING TO PARTIES INTERESTED IN ATLANTIC COASTWISE SHIPPING

BOSTON, Aug. 17.—Federal engineers gave a hearing today on the petition of commercial organizations interested in Atlantic coastwise shipping for a continuance of work on the Sandy Bay harbor of refuge at Rockport. The project has cost the government over \$2,000,000 and the engineers in charge of the work have recommended that the breakwater work be abandoned because they estimate that about \$5,000,000 additional will be required to complete it and that this outlay would not be justified by the commercial advantages.

The petitioners, represented by Ralph S. Bauer, president of the Lynn chamber of commerce, declared that in its present condition, the breakwater is a menace to shipping. He urged that a superstructure which could be seen in all kinds of weather, be erected over the present wall. He presented a list of 56 wrecks near Sandy Bay since 1898, and asserted that there was not a single harbor of refuge between Boston and Portland.

Witnesses supporting the petition included Congressman A. P. Gardner, Chairman John N. Cole of the Massachusetts commission on waterways and the captains of several coastwise ships.

HUGHES OFF TO FRISCO  
PORTLAND, Ore., Aug. 17.—Charles E. Hughes left here early today on a 35-hour trip to San Francisco which he expected to make with only an occasional break for brief rest platform addresses.

Mr. Hughes' voice which had troubled him during the first few days of his western trip and later seemed better, again has become quite hoarse. It is the belief of the specialist accompanying the nominee, however, that Mr. Hughes will experience no difficulty in delivering his proposed speech at San Francisco Friday night.

FIRE ON CHELMSTFORD STREET

A brick fire in a room on the top floor of a tenement block at 163 Chelmsford street caused the alarm from box 32

this afternoon. The fire was caused by children playing with matches. The building is owned by Ethel Greenberg and the tenement where the fire broke out is occupied by Ben Wiseberg. A couch and other furniture was destroyed while the smoke damaged the wood-work in the room.

### Deaths at Mexican Border

WASHINGTON, Aug. 17.—Eight deaths from sickness among the regular and National Guard troops on the border during the week ending Aug. 12, are disclosed in statistics made public today at the war department. Medical officers regard the death rate as exceptionally low, since it covers a total force of approximately 140,000 in field camps.

### THE NAVAL BILL READY

GREATEST NAVAL BILL IN COUNTRY'S HISTORY READY FOR PRESIDENT'S SIGNATURE

WASHINGTON, Aug. 17.—As the naval bill finally was perfected today by house and senate conferees, the Pacific coast won its fight for big battleship construction yard at Puget Sound, but lost the \$300,000 appropriation for a submarine and torpedo boat base on Columbia river. The latter was dropped out pending the report of a commission.

The conferees agreed to retain \$6,000,000 to equip navy yards for warship building, but special appropriations for an enlarged drydock and foundry at Charleston, S. C., were stricken out.

This action provides for the equipment of the yards at Puget Sound, Philadelphia, Norfolk, New York, Boston, Portsmouth, Charleston and New Orleans for construction of ships to specially equip the Puget sound, Philadelphia, Norfolk & Boston yards for construction of the largest dreadnaughts and battle cruisers.

The \$300,000 item for deepening the channel to the New York navy yard so as to float the greatest warships at any tide, was dropped out of the bill despite urgent requests by President Wilson that it be retained.

All the disputed items now are cleared up and the bill with the big building program, the greatest in the

## RAILROAD PRESIDENTS CALLED TO WHITE HOUSE

Accept President Wilson's Invitation to Confer With Him on the Threatened Strike

WASHINGTON, Aug. 17.—President Wilson today invited the presidents of the principal railroads of the country to come to Washington immediately to confer with him on the threatened strike. Pending their arrival he does not plan to see the committee of managers here with whom he has been

said today that the president wants to deal with the "ultimate authority" on both sides, in order that negotiations may be conducted here.

Among the managers it was pointed out that the presidents have been constantly advised of the negotiations with President Wilson and the feeling prevailed that the attitude of the railroad heads was now the same as the managers' committee, although no one could forecast what effect a personal conference with the president would

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senders learned the particulars of the action.

CHARLESTOWN FOLKS AT LAKE  
Nearly 300 residents of Charlestown who annually assemble at Lakeview for a day's outing arrived at that resort this noon in special cars. The outings are always anticipated with great pleasure by the Charlestown people and today's was declared a great success. Dancing, boating and other pleasures were enjoyed.

NINE CASES OF PARALYSIS  
HARTFORD, Conn., Aug. 17.—Nine cases of infantile paralysis in the state were reported to the state board of health today bringing the total to 25. There were three deaths of children at Stamford.

By special request and by various reasons that this city is the birthplace of Moxie we have sacrificed many important engagements so that everybody may see the famous Moxie Horse-

mobile

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# READY TO QUIT

New Trolley Tie Up In  
New York is Threaten-  
ed by Employees

NEW YORK, Aug. 17.—Authorized by their union to call a strike on all surface lines of the New York Railways Co., a committee of union employees of the railways company today held a conference with the general manager, Frank Hedley, to demand a settlement of grievances which have developed since the recent street car strike. Two thousand employees of the New York Railways Co., voted last night to quit work if their grievances were not adjusted. Before going on strike, however, they voted to call upon Mayor Mitchel and the chairman of the down-state public service commission to use their influence to induce the officials of the company to put into effect agreements which were made as a result of the strike early this month.

Members of the street car men's union have voted to sustain the committee in conference with Mr. Hedley to

day in insisting upon the recognition of the union, reinstatement of union men discharged, it is alleged, because of their union activities and for the right to meet officials of the company to request higher wages and better working conditions.

Although the action of the union appeared to be ominous of a strike, it was pointed out that the chief difficulty had been eliminated when the officials of the railways company agreed to meet the committee and consider their grievances. William B. Fitzgerald, general organizer of the Amalgamated Association of Street & Electric Railway Employees, says that if the union calls a strike on the surface car lines the men employed on the elevated and subway routes in Manhattan also will be called out.

**Nothing Doing**

A conference today between Frank Hedley, general manager of the New York Railways Co., and a committee of union leaders and employees failed to bring their differences, which threaten a renewal of the recent strike, any nearer a settlement. Mr. Hedley told the men that only the president and the directors of the company had authority to deal with their new grievances. Thereupon William B. Fitzgerald, general organizer of the Amalgamated Association of Street & Electric Railway Employees, informed Mr. Hedley that unless those officials consented to meet the com-

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## Meats -- Meats

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STEAK	Choice Veal	31c lb.
LAMB	Choice Tender Legs	22c lb.
LAMB	Frogs Spring	17c lb.
DUCKS	Rhode Island	25c lb.
FOWL	Native Milk Fed	25c lb.
CHICKEN	Milk Fed Princess	32c lb.
SHOULDERS	Fresh Ham Loin	15c lb.
HAM	Reed's Shanks	15c lb.

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Market Cod.....7c lb.  
White Fish.....10c lb.  
East. Halibut....2c lb.  
Fresh Sword Fish....17c lb.  
Shore Haddock....7c lb.  
Blackback Flounders,...10c lb.  
Mackerel, choice....18c lb.

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Large Cal. Peaches, doz.

15c

10c Seedless Grapes, lb. 6c

Large Malaga Grapes, lb. 8c

Jumbo Cantaloupes, ea. 5c

Calif. Cantaloupes, ea. 8c

Seedless Grapefruit...5c

Large Cukes, ea.....5c

Ripe Tomatoes, lb. ....8c

## SPECIALS

10c Lime Juice, hot.....8c

10c Maplewood Pickles, jar...9c

49c Walnut Meats, lb.....39c

5c Indian Meal.....3 for 10c

Chapin's Mayonnaise, 12c Shrimps

25c

E-Z Seal Jars, pts.....49c

E-Z Seal Jars, qts.....59c

Grandee Pure Olive Oil.....9c

10c Pure Apple Jelly, jar....8c

50c Grape Juice.....39c

25c Grape Juice.....18c

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WASHINGTON, Aug. 17.—President Wilson's invitation was sent to the following railroad presidents:

Daniel Willard, Baltimore & Ohio.

Samuel Rea, Pennsylvania.

Fairfax Harrison, Southern railway.

Samuel M. Felton, Chicago & Great Western.

George M. Stevens, Chesapeake & Ohio.

William Sprout, Southern Pacific.

I. E. Loewe, Delaware & Hudson.

W. J. Harahan, Seaboard Air Line.

Howard Elliott, New Haven.

F. B. Bush, Missouri Pacific.

A. H. Smith, New York Central.

F. D. Underwood, Erie.

William H. Truesdale, Lackawanna.

J. H. Hustis, Boston & Maine.

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## THE STORE THAT IS ALWAYS BUSY

PRESIDENTS CALLED  
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have. The railroad presidents are expected to make strong plea for preservation of the principle of arbitration.

In preparation for the conference between President Wilson and the 60 employees, chairs were placed today in the east room of the White House.

Another indication of the delicacy of the situation was seen in the decision at the White House not to make public the president's remarks to the men, at this time, at least. It was first intended to publish the president's statement and then his statement to the managers, thus laying the case before the court of public opinion. The president sent the following telegram to the leading railroad presidents:

"Discussion of the matters involved in the threatened railroad strike has reached a point which makes it highly desirable that I should personally confer with you at the earliest possible moment and with the presidents of any other railroads affected who may be immediately accessible. Hope you can make it convenient to come to Washington at once."

The president's action in asking for the conference with railroad presidents themselves is interpreted as meaning that the managers' committee had refused finally to concede the eight-hour day as the president's plan proposed and the question now is to be taken up with the heads of the railroads themselves.

The situation as it stood today was this:

The railroads flatly refused to concede the eight-hour day, but are willing to arbitrate that question and all others before any tribunal the president or the men may decide upon.

The men are willing to arbitrate some questions under certain conditions, but are unwilling to arbitrate others.

This afternoon at 3 o'clock the president will present his plan to the full committee of 60 employees in the hope of getting them to approve it. The result will be presented to the railroad presidents later.

Early this morning Secretary Tammily telephoned to Daniel Willard, president of the Baltimore & Ohio, regarding the invitation to the railroad presidents to come to the White House and Mr. Willard said he would do everything possible to arrange a conference.

Judge Chambers of the federal board of mediation and conciliation held a brief conference with the brotherhood heads this morning. He said he had one question on which he wanted a definite answer and that he got it. Mr. Chambers went to the White House immediately upon leaving the brotherhood officials.

"I should not like to say that the situation still is hopeful," A. B. Garrison, spokesman for the employees said, after Mr. Chambers had left. "Hopeful is hardly the word that I should use. I would say, though, that I deem a settlement still possible."

### ACCEPT INVITATION

NEW YORK, Aug. 17.—The railroad presidents of the country have accepted President Wilson's invitation to come to Washington to confer with him on the railroad strike situation. Several will leave this city for the national capital at 4 o'clock this afternoon and another delegation will leave from Chicago.

Those who will leave from New York are A. H. Smith, president of the New York Central; Frank Trumbull, chairman of the Chesapeake & Ohio; Benjamin F. Bush, receiver of the Missouri Pacific; Hale Holden, president of the Burlington & Quincy; W. W. Atterbury, vice president of the Pennsylvania; W. J. Harahan, president of the Seaboard Air Line; W. J. Truesdale, president of the Delaware, Lackawanna & Western; L. F. Loree, president of the Delaware & Hudson; E. J. Pearson, vice president of the New York, New Haven & Hartford; George W. Stevens, president of the Chesapeake & Ohio; R. S. Lovett, chairman of the Union Pacific; Julius Krutchnitt, chairman of the Southern Pacific and F. D. Underwood, president of the Erie.

Daniel Willard, president of the Baltimore & Ohio and who has often been spokesman for the railroad presidents on other occasions which have taken them to Washington, is understood to be on his way.

The railroad executives mentioned already have had informal conferences on the situation in this city.

### QUESTION OF ARBITRATION

WASHINGTON, Aug. 17.—Some of the leaders of the men were planning to meet the demand of the railroad managers for arbitration by insisting to President Wilson that 75 more lines for which the railroad managers contend they have no authority to speak shall be included in the negotiations.

In that way an old dispute between the managers and the brotherhood officials would be opened and probably result in an inquiry into the ownership and control of the 75 roads in question.

Investigation will prove, the employees' representatives insist, that the two railroads for which the managers are acting control the majority of the smaller lines.

RAILROAD PRESIDENTS INVITED

WASHINGTON, Aug. 17.—President Wilson's invitation was sent to the following railroad presidents:

Daniel Willard, Baltimore & Ohio.

Samuel Rea, Pennsylvania.

Fairfax Harrison, Southern railway.

Samuel M. Felton, Chicago & Great Western.

George M. Stevens, Chesapeake & Ohio.

William Sprout, Southern Pacific.

I. E. Loewe, Delaware & Hudson.

W. J. Harahan, Seaboard Air Line.

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BOSTON LADIES' OUTFITTERS

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Lowell, Mass.

THE STORE  
THAT GIVES  
VALUE

We made a clean sweep Dollar Day. Never before have we cleaned up as close as we did yesterday. We have secured a new lot of merchandise, mostly new Fall samples in Suits, Coats, Dresses, Skirts and Waists, consisting of Silks, Voiles, Poplins, Serges, etc., which will go on sale for Friday, Saturday and Monday at a ridiculous cut in prices. It will make the women of Lowell and vicinity talk as they never did before.

Be on hand early. You may look everywhere but if you want real bargains come to us. You can save two dollars for each dollar you spend by buying here. No connection with any other store in Lowell.

## Boston Ladies' Outfitters

LOWELL, MASS.

### GAINS FOR FRENCH

*Continued*

Maurepas, in the Somme region, says the war office statement today. There were no infantry attacks during the night.

The announcement follows:

"On the Somme front the enemy made no attempt at a counter attack during the night.

"Our troops are organizing the positions they won. Artillery fighting continues with great violence in the region north of Maurepas and in the sector of Bellay-en-Santerre."

RUSSIAN ADVANCE IS STILL BEING HELD UP BY COUNTER ATTACKS

PETROGRAD, Aug. 17, via London. The Russian advance is still being held up in the face of counter attacks. Thus assault the war office reported today have been repulsed.

"Artillery and rifle duels are proceeding along the front," the statement says. "The enemy at some places resumed his counter attacks. These were frustrated by our fire.

"A Zeppelin dropped bombs in the region of Kemmerin, directly west of Riga.

"Supplementary reports show that Gen. Bezobrazoff in the most recent operation captured 198 officers, 1308 men, 29 light field pieces, 17 heavy guns, 70 machine guns, 23 howitzers and more than 14,000 shells. These are in addition to those reported yesterday."

ACCEPT INVITATION

PARIS, Aug. 17.—Operations on three different parts of the Somme front yesterday resulted in the removal of some of the barriers of the powerful German defensive system. A resumption of the methodical drive of the French troops after the disappearance of these obstacles is expected to bring further gains in the region of Guillecourt and Maurepas.

In the actions yesterday the French attained an ascendancy over their adversary during the fighting around the Guillenourt-Maurepas road. The Germans still have a hold in the northwest part of Maurepas, but the French, by reason of their success in that vicinity, have a dominating position and besides are menacing the German communications.

South of the Somme, the German trench system around Bellay-en-Santerre was a real fortified work which had resisted numerous previous bombardments. Its capture permits further progress in that section.

KIRBY—William Kirby, formerly of this city, died Tuesday at Los Angeles.

He leaves two brothers, Charles and George and one sister, Ruth, all of Los Angeles. Mr. Kirby resided at 50 Walnut street when in this city.



**MINOR LEAGUE BASEBALL**

BAD WEATHER HAS HELPED TO MAKE DISASTROUS YEAR FOR MAGNATES

The majority of the minor leagues are nearing the end of their season, the closing date for most of the little circuits being set for Labor day or shortly after. As the season has been one of the "blown" variety, there are likely to be few tears shed by the "bus" magnates when the final curtain is rung down.

A few of the minor league clubs will be able to show a profit and some of the others may manage to break even; but it is safe to predict that a large majority will close up owing themselves money. Unusually bad weather conditions and lack of public interest have combined to put the skids under the pastime.

Two years ago the now defunct Federal league started the minors down the toboggan by grabbing the favorability of slipping a little change in return. When the Peds died last winter, the minors breathed a sigh of relief and started forthwith to prepare for what they figured would be a soft and soothng 1916 season. Nothing doing. In nearly all sections J. Pluvius has been on the job early and late, with the results that the season now nearing its close must be added to the two previous disastrous years, making three dividers in a row.

The only bright spots in the picture of gloom are found among the few top-liners in the larger minor leagues, the American association and the International Western, Southern and Pacific Coast leagues. Pennant contenders in these leagues will come through right side up. But outside of Class AA and Class A leagues, minor league baseball at a profit is likely to be unknown this year. The one remaining chance for the little clubs to gather some coin is the unloading of some of their players to clubs of higher classification, either through sale or draft.

The rough going naturally has resulted in many breakdowns and changes in circuits among the minors this season. The Atlantic league, a new comer, was forced to "blow" after only a few weeks of pastimng, while the Ohio state league, an old organization, has been shot to pieces. Burlington has dropped out of the Central association and the Virginia league has been obliged to can Hopewell because it takes more than optimism to run a ball team.

Albany's flop in the South Atlantic league also carried down the Montgomery, which city it was found necessary to drop in order to balance the circuit. In the New York State league the Troy club was transferred to Harrisburg. The Northern league

will endeavor to worry through the remainder of the season minus the Fort William and Virginia teams.

Two small circuits, the Dixie and the Georgia-Alabama leagues, seem to have hit the right idea. Both outfitts framed short schedules to close the third week in July. Both came through and finished the season, even if they didn't clean up a bundle of money.

**GAMES TOMORROW**

**Eastern League**  
Lowell at Springfield.  
Worcester at Lynn.  
Hartford at Portland.  
New London at New Haven.  
Bridgeport at Lawrence.

**American League**  
Chicago at Boston.  
Cleveland at New York.  
St. Louis at Philadelphia.  
Detroit at Washington.

**National League**  
Boston at St. Louis.  
Brooklyn at Pittsburgh.  
Philadelphia at Cincinnati.  
New York at Chicago.

**LEAGUE STANDING**

**Eastern League** Won Lost P.C.

Portland ..... 64 26 .719  
New London ..... 62 27 .697  
Worcester ..... 49 41 .544  
Springfield ..... 60 43 .587  
Lynn ..... 45 44 .527  
New Haven ..... 37 39 .430  
Bridgeport ..... 38 58 .329  
Lowell ..... 32 56 .369  
Hartford ..... 33 57 .367

**American League** Won Lost P.C.

Boston ..... 65 45 .891  
Cleveland ..... 62 59 .589  
Chicago ..... 52 51 .607  
St. Louis ..... 60 53 .531  
Detroit ..... 57 56 .646  
New York ..... 53 52 .500  
Washington ..... 52 66 .505  
Philadelphia ..... 22 82 .321

**National League** Won Lost P.C.

Brooklyn ..... 63 45 .542  
Boston ..... 59 49 .596  
Philadelphia ..... 51 42 .592  
New York ..... 52 50 .485  
Pittsburg ..... 46 56 .560  
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## EASTERN LEAGUE COMMENT

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Hartford is trying just as hard to get into it.

Matty Zieser pitched a good game yesterday, but errors by Helfrich, O'Connell, Torphy and Greenhalgh proved disastrous.

With O'Connell back in the game, Manager Kilbullen is making some changes. Dens has been shifted to third and Helfrich to second. This change may work out all right, but there are still weak spots that need to be attended to.

Ralph O'Connell and Ty Helfrich fended fast yesterday and each came through with a couple of hits.

Reed, last year with Manchester, is playing right field for New Haven. He was assured to fill the place left open by the departure of J. Shannon.

Portland gave Bridgeport another nice beating, hammering Mulrennan for eight hits in the first four innings, while Dick Durnan pitched effectively.

Manager McDonald of Hartford is improving his team and will not remain in 10 places long with the break of luck. He has picked out the spots that need to be built up and is trying out new men. Some of the new ones have already shown up well and will help the Senators to get out of the rut.

## AMATEUR BASEBALL

The following Universal players will report for practice on the North common tomorrow evening at 6:30: W. Qualey, Riley, Farrell, Heeslin, J. Qualey, Park, Davy, Keefe, Ashe, McNabb and Condon. The Universals will play the P. & Q. team of Haverhill. They would also like to hear from the Baldwins, Burnside, Oxfords or Ottawas.

The Universal Second baseball team will cross bats with the strong Walkers Saturday afternoon on the former's grounds in Pawtucketville. The baterry for the Universals will be Keste and Larodato. The Universals would like to receive challenges from local teams. Write to Manager Keefe or Capt. Qualey, 20 Willie street.

The manager of the St. John's team of Lowell would like to meet the manager of the Tigers, Friday evening at 7 o'clock in front of the Sun office, to arrange for the game Saturday.

**MAY COACH COLBY COLLEGE GARDINER**, Aug. 17.—Alex F. Pearson, pitcher of the local Trolley League club, former Lawrence manager, and ex-big leaguer, has applied for the position of coach of the Colby college baseball team for the coming year.

Pearson, who has been with the club going on three weeks, likes Maine very much and would desire nothing better than remaining. His home is in Rochester, Pa.

Pearson in 1902-03 was in the big league with the St. Louis Americans and Cleveland, Tri-State league, and several years in the New England league. He also had experience in coaching college baseball, being baseball coach at Washington and Jefferson in 1910, and at Mercer college in 1913.

**CARLSON TO MEET BALDWIN**

For many months Harry Carlson, the clever Brockton lightweight, has yearned to get chance to box for the New England lightweight title, but it seemed for a long time as if Harry's most ardent desire would not amount to anything. Matty Baldwin, who held the sectional championship, had retired and Matty showed no inclination to return to the ring. Business held his attention. But eventually there came a turning point. Matty wanted to come back. He announced his intention of battling again and forth with he was challenged by the Brockton boy who had whipped all comers. Baldwin accepted and so Carlson will have his wishes gratified next Friday night at the Commercial club, Boston, and he will make a determined effort to take the title away from Baldwin.

**SPORTSMEN ENTHUSIASTIC**

The second shipment of mallard ducks of the season for the Lowell Fish and Game Association arrived Wednesday afternoon; also the third shipment of ring neck pheasants.

Yesterday's shipment of mallards was from the American Game association of New York, whose game fair is at Hazzardville, Conn. There were six ducks in the shipment.

The pheasants were from the Massachusetts Fish and Game commission and were shipped from Wilkesonville, Mass., the state pheasant farm. There were eight in the lot and they were liberated in Tewksbury. The ducks were liberated in Groton, near Cow pond meadows.

The outing committee of the local association is busy perfecting arrangements for the outing on Sept. 14 at the grounds of the Martin Luther club in Tyngsboro.

## DIAMOND DAZZLES

The Red Sox yesterday plainly showed that they are real contenders for the pennant in the American league and no longer the nestlings of the other clubs in the race. They now have a lead of three and a half games after taking two from the White Sox, their most dangerous rivals. One game was of 16 innings and the second was called in the sixth on account of darkness. The scores were 3 to 4 and 2 to 1.

Yesterday was also pennant day at Fenway park and the 145th champion flag was hoisted before the game. The flag was raised by Mayor Curley and President Lannin assisted by Manager Howland of the White Sox and Acting Manager Wagner of the Red Sox.

But five and a half innings of the second game had been played when darkness interceded. The American league policy is to "play as advertised" or the second game would never have been played.

## TODAY'S STOCK MARKET

Manager Jack Flynn of Springfield protested the game which New London won. With Rodriguez on first, Unpiled Waters called time as Powers was about to deliver the ball. Whitehouse fled out to Hickey. Waters refused to declare the ball in play and on the next ball pitched Whitley hit on three bases, scoring Rodriguez.

Marly Walsh, the big Bridgeport twirler who has worked in several games here, has threatened to jump the club. Walsh, who pitched Thursday and again Sunday, requested to be excused from the Portland trip on account of his wife's illness. He was granted permission to remain in Boston, but failed to do so with the team to Portland. The following day he received a note from Manager Healey notifying him that he had been paid \$10 and asking him to report at Portland. If his wife would let him, Marly said, he would remain there until Manager Healey apologizes to Mrs. Walsh.

Alex Pearson, formerly of the Lawrence club, has filed with the National commission a claim of \$250 for back pay alleged to have been due him when he was released by that club. He received notification this week from that body that his case would be taken up immediately.

So close is the race between Portland and New London hanging that it seems as though the remaining games between these two will decide whether or not the Eastern league 1916 pennant will flutter from the pole at Bayside park.—Portland Express.

er have been started after the hard-fought 16-inning battle.

Every member of the Red Sox team was present except Vean George was pressed into service in the first game. Carrigan was not present and Hendrickson is nursing an injury. All the other members took part in the victory.

Joe Jackson starred with the willow. In 10 times at bat he connected safely six times and knocked out two doubles.

Despatches have the Braves in two exhibition games yesterday, one in Tewksbury, and the other in Jamestown, N. Y. The squad was divided in two parts and arrangements made to play both games. Both teams won.

The Pittsburg club has announced the purchase of Pitcher Reeding and Infelder Anderson from the Charlotte, South Atlantic league club.

The 15-day suspension imposed upon Pitcher Ray Caldwell of the New York Americans in St. Louis was to have expired yesterday, but as the club has not heard from the player since he has been laid off the suspension has been made indefinite. Manager Donon said Caldwell probably will be suspended for the remainder of the season.

St. Andrew's Church Picnic at Pinehurst Park Big Success

CONFERENCE TO BE HELD IN WASHINGTON IS OF GREAT INTEREST IN THIS STATE

Special to the Sun  
STATE HOUSE, Boston, Aug. 17.—An important conference, dealing with all the phases of social insurance, including workers' compensation, old age insurance and pensions, widows' and orphans' insurance and pensions and mothers' pensions, is to be held in Washington, D. C., Nov. 8 to 13 inclusive, under the auspices of the international association of industrial accident boards and commissions.

It is of peculiar interest to this state at this time, because Massachusetts at the present time has a special insurance problem.

Dudley M. Holman, president of the international association stated yesterday that everyone having views on any of the problems involved, whether they favor or oppose legislation, is invited either to attend the conference or submit his views in writing. It is planned to have the proceedings published by the United States bureau of statistics in advance of the meeting of the several state legislatures in 1917, and copies of the proceedings, when published, may be had upon application to Dr. Royal Meeker, commissioner of labor statistics at Washington.

Included in the tentative program for the conference are the following subjects: Comparison of different forms of administration for workers' compensation; Comparison of different methods of carrying workers' compensation insurance; shortcomings of present workers' compensation laws; awards under workers' compensation laws compared with settlements under liability laws; lump sum settlements, how far they are consistent with the principles of workers' compensation.

Safety work in connection with workers' compensation; merit rating as a method of accident prevention; cost to employer under workers' compensation and under system formerly in force; occupational diseases, should they be covered by workers' compensation; medical service and medical and hospital fees under the workers' compensation; physical examination of employees; better accident statistics needed to show increases or decreases in accident rates; how measure the degree of permanent disability due to accidents.

What wage earners are covered, sick benefits provided, and the cost of such benefits in existing agencies, such as trade unions, establishment funds, mutual benefit funds and sickness insurance, and services in connection with existing agencies of sickness insurance and under state sickness insurance; essential features of an adequate system of state sickness insurance and its probable costs and how existing systems may be incorporated in a state system of sickness insurance.

The need of a state system of invalidity and old-age insurance or pensions; what provision is made by existing agencies and the essential features of a state system to provide such insurance, as well as insurance of widows, orphans and mothers.

The final day of the conference will include discussions of methods of regularizing industry to reduce unemployment; methods of reducing the labor turnover; organization of employment bureaus; existing agencies for unemployment insurance; and what system of unemployment insurance is practical.

Just in front of the Sacred Heart church specials were three carloads

## CLOSING WAS IRREGULAR

## NEW YORK MARKET

Stocks High Low Close

Allis Chalmers ..... 241 231 223

Am Best Sugar ..... 59 59

Am Can ..... 68 64

Am Car & Fn ..... 61 60

Am Cot Oil ..... 52 61

A Hills & L. P. ex- ..... 51 51

Am Locomo ..... 73 71

Am Smet & R. ..... 79 78

A Standard pf ex- ..... 109 107

Am Sugar Can ..... 109 107

Anaconda ..... 55 52

Atchison ..... 103 102

Atch pf ..... 99

Baldwin Loco ..... 77 76

Balt & Ohio ..... 87 85

Bath Gas pf ..... 73 73

Bath Steel ..... 45 45

Bell Telephone ..... 190 187

Cal Pete ..... 190 187

Canadian Pa ..... 179 176

Cast I Pipe Com ..... 204

Cast I I Pipe pf ..... 53

Chic Leather ..... 66 64

Chic & Ohio ..... 62 62

Chic & W. P. ..... 37 37

Chile R. I. & P. ..... 18 17

Chile ..... 47 46

Consol Gas ..... 140 139

Con Products pf ..... 91 90

Crucible Steel ..... 72 72

Den & Rio G. pf ..... 24 24

Die Secur Co ..... 66 65

Erie 1st pf ..... 54 54

Erie 2nd pf ..... 55 55

Gen Elec ..... 170 169

Globe North ..... 73

Globe N. Ore pf ..... 118 118

Globe S. Ore pf ..... 95 95

Illinois Cen ..... 162

Int Met Com ..... 99 98

Int Met Marine ..... 23 23

Int Paper ..... 18 18

Kans Gas ..... 68 68

New Am Co ..... 111 111

New North ..... 114 114

New Eng Central ..... 131 131

New Eng West ..... 131 131

New Natl ..... 65 65

New N. Eng ..... 132 132

North Pacific ..... 114 114

Onl & West ..... 27 27

Pacific Mail ..... 23 23

Pennsylvania ..... 56 55

Penn Steel ..... 53 52

Pitt St Co ..... 10 10

Reading ..... 106 104

Rep Iron & S ..... 51

Rep I & S pf ..... 118 118

St Paul ..... 96 95

St. Louis ..... 98 98

Southwestern Ry ..... 23 23

Studebaker ..... 60 59

Tenn Copper ..... 25 25

Third Ave ..... 62 62

Union Pacific ..... 140 139

U.S. Alcohol ..... 116 113

U.S. Pub of ..... 109 109

U.S. Steel ..... 92 92

U.S. Steel pf ..... 118 117

Utah Copper ..... 82 81

Va Chem ..... 41 41

Westinghouse ..... 60

Western Un ..... 96

LIST HARDENED IN FINAL HOUR—  
IMPETUS FURNISHED BY MARINES AND COPPERS

NEW YORK, Aug. 17.—Yesterday's advancing movement in prices was resumed with greater vigor at today's opening. U. S. Steel's transaction comprised 7000 shares at 91 1/2 to 92 1/2, an over night gain of a point. A sale of 2500 of Marine common at 36 to 35 1/2 represented an extreme gain of 14% and a new record. Republic Steel pf rose substantially with other shipping stocks and varied sharply. The gains of the opening were generally increased before the end of the first half hour, the only notable exception being Bethlehem Steel, which lost 8 points after opening at a one point gain.

Sales of the first hour exceeded 300,000 shares. Steel, on its further advance to 92 1/2, making the largest individual contribution. Marines were next in point of activity, the common increasing its gain to 35 1/2 with decided strength in Pacific Mail and United Fruit. Virtually all the minor steel issues augmented early advances, as did also equipments and motors. Rails displayed some hesitation on latest advices from Washington and coppers were comparatively backward. Profit-taking made some impression upon prices, but high levels were well maintained. Bonds were steady.

## THE LOWELL SUN

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## RIDING ON THE RUNNING BOARD

An accident in a neighboring city a few days ago, demonstrated the danger of riding upon the running board of open cars. While an automobile was passing such a car, a jitney shot between and side-swiped the running board of the car, knocking off all the men who stood there, killing the conductor and injuring many others.

That is a type of accident that might easily occur in this city, as the running boards of open cars are usually well loaded while jitneys are very numerous and many of their drivers are very reckless. Yesterday, as is usual on working days, many cars were seen leaving the square with perhaps thirty or forty passengers on the running board. It would seem that the company should make a greater effort to provide more cars in the rush when the people get out of the mills.

The open car is a source of great danger, especially when passengers are piled two rows deep upon the running board. The passengers evidently are willing to take the risk because it is their only means of reaching their homes within a reasonable time. But such conditions should not exist. There should be better accommodation for the passengers. The least that might be expected would be standing room inside a car instead of clinging to the outside.

There should be more of the semi-convertible cars which serve the same purpose as the open car, and also provide better protection for the passengers.

In Boston and other large cities this problem has been well nigh solved by what in Boston is known as the "Pre-payment car." Two ordinary cars are connected by a double vestibule entered by a low step from the street. The steps leading to the seats are inside this vestibule. Thus the inconvenience and danger of high steps so objectionable to women and aged people are overcome. The running of two cars together has the advantage of offering more room for patrons. The fare is paid on entering by dropping a nickel into a slot; and thus the conductor has time to attend to passengers getting on and off instead of spending most of his time collecting fares. Hence the public gets better service.

Why not try the prepayment cars in Lowell on the lines on which the traffic would warrant it? Such a combination car would obviate the practice now far too common of having nearly half the passengers on a car riding on the running board.

## MAP OF ELEVATED SYSTEM

It would be well for the Boston Elevated Railway company to publish a clear map of its lines, its tunnels, terminals and various routes. Probably not one tenth of the people who go to Boston know how they can best avail of the system to reach their respective points of destination. There is considerable that is perplexing to the average visitor in deciding between surface, tunnel and elevated cars. When a patron is told to go downstairs and take the subway he understands, but when told to go still further down and take the elevated, he may be excused if he becomes a little confused. This is the condition at Haymarket station.

The people who go to Boston quite frequently may soon become familiar with all the various lines and their connections; but for those who go but seldom, such a map as we have suggested would be very useful. They would enable patrons to select the most direct route to a given point without stopping to make inquiries of people who have little or no time to give a satisfactory answer.

It would pay the Elevated company to have such maps available to patrons at all its stations.

The system of transportation by surface subway and elevated cars through Boston and from Boston to outlying districts is undoubtedly one of the best in the world and that is why the public not only in Boston but in all the connecting towns and cities should be made familiar with its advantages.

## INFANTILE PARALYSIS

The physicians in New York are at their wits' end to find some remedy with which to combat the epidemic of infantile paralysis. They are now suggesting the injection of blood serum from the parents of the children affected on the assumption that as adults seem to be immune from the disease, there may be something in their blood that would act as an antidote to the disease in the veins of the child. That experiment is to be tried, but there is slight hope that it will prove effective.

The origin of the disease is still a mystery and is likely to remain so for some time. Some people think it may be spread from the lower animals such as cats and dogs. Recently cats in some of the neighboring cities have been victims of paralysis which cannot be explained. Still in the cities in which the cat disease has appeared, there are but a few cases of infantile paralysis. Good health, it is said, is not a protection against infantile paralysis. That is a statement which is open to doubt. The greater the child's

being a member of the democratic town committee in East Bridgewater. He is an appointee of ex-Gov. Walsh.

Ex-Alderman Owen F. Davis, also a democrat, was strenuously cross-examining a witness when City Solicitor Winfield M. Wilbar, republican, interposed.

"Mr. Davis has asked every question possible except who will be the next president," said Wilbar.

"There's no need of asking that," retorted Davis. "I know who will be elected."

"The court," said Judge Thorndike, with a twinkle in his eye, "is inclined to take the same view of the election as you do, Mr. Davis."

Thus was the matter decided, but it is intimated that the city solicitor, good republican that he is, will appeal from the ruling.

power of resistance, the less liable it is to fall a victim to any disease. Hence it is well for parents to look to the general health of their little ones, and by cleanliness, proper food, proper temperature and plenty of fresh air, fortify them against the germs of all diseases.

## SUFFOLK COUNTY MUDDLE

That is certainly some muddle in which Suffolk county finds itself in regard to the reapportionment of the representative districts. The validity of the report given out by the redistricting board is to be passed upon by the supreme court and if it be condemned, then according to the plan of the attorney general, a special session of the legislature will be called to correct the situation and extend the date for filing nomination papers for the September primaries. The republicans have brought the matter to the courts claiming that the apportionment is unfair and not in accordance with the intent of the law. Oh! how the republicans do squelch when their ox is gored. If it were the democratic animal that suffered, of course it would merely be the subject of a good laugh. The democrats have been the victims of some high-handed gerrymanders in their time; but they have usually submitted and started a colonization movement by which they soon defeated the republican scheme. The "repubs" should not complain when treated to a pungent dose of their own medicine.

## THE FATE OF POLAND

The offer of Austria to set up an independent government for the Poles under her jurisdiction comes too late. Poland has suffered most of any country, not excepting Belgium, from the war, inasmuch as the greater part of it has been swept over and over again by the fiercest ravages of war and the people left homeless to starve. All the children in Poland are dead, many thousands of the adults have died of starvation, while other thousands upon thousands have been slaughtered as a result of the frequent ebb and flow of the terrible tide of war between the Central powers and Russia. It is to be hoped that what remains of the Polish people will be given a government of their own as a reward for their martyrdom of suffering during this war.

## SLIP ON THE TAX BILLS

The city treasurer of Haverhill somehow ran afoul of the law in making out the tax bills for the present year. The error came in stating the date on which the interest should begin on unpaid tax bills. The tax bill said "taxes unpaid October 2 shall be subject to interest at the rate of 6 per cent from September 1." The law says interest is payable only from September 15. The expense of making over the tax bills will eat up a considerable portion of the interest.

**HUGHES ON WOMAN'S RIGHTS**  
Candidate Hughes in the woman suffrage states is expatiating so strongly upon his devotion to the cause of woman's rights, that it is difficult to believe that he is a recent convert to the cause or that his change of heart was brought about by political expediency. It is alleged that he did not consider the question of suffrage of sufficient interest in his own state last fall, to bring him home to vote for it. His record in support of woman's rights dates back only to the opening of his present campaign for votes.

A farm hand aged 47, at Duck Pond road near Westbrook, Me., has attempted suicide three times and threatens to end the job if he cannot wed the fifteen-year-old daughter of his employer. He is evidently one of the dangerous characters who would end it all with a revolver and perhaps murder the girl whose life he is not permitted to ruin. He should be locked up until such times as he learns to respect the rights of others. There are too many such brutes at large.

Senator Lodge predicts a landslide for Candidate Hughes. That is in accordance with the hot air campaign now being conducted by the republican party. Senator Lodge will not find any landslide in his behalf when Mayor John F. Fitzgerald gets after him.

Nance O'Neill has married a movie star. Thus an exponent of the old dramatic art is united with one of the more spectacular.

## WILSON TO BE RE-ELECTED

Court Says So—Now Make Your Bets  
—Report Republican City Solicitor Will Appeal From Ruling

BROCKTON, Aug. 17.—It has now been legally settled that President Wilson is to be re-elected. A ruling apparently to that effect was made yesterday morning in the local police court by Judge Herbert C. Thorndike, who, by the way, is a good democrat,

power of resistance, the less liable it is to fall a victim to any disease. Hence it is well for parents to look to the general health of their little ones, and by cleanliness, proper food, proper temperature and plenty of fresh air, fortify them against the germs of all diseases.

## MILLIONS IN BAD MONEY

HUGH PLOT REVEALED — GANG WAS TO HAVE PRINTED \$1,000,000 AND QUIT

NEW YORK, Aug. 17.—A conspiracy to manufacture and circulate \$1,000,000 of counterfeit silver certificates and United States Treasury notes was frustrated here yesterday by William J. Flynn, chief of the government secret service, and several of his assistants.

Eight arrests were made, after raids on a house at Grant City, Staten Island, and one in East 9th street, this city. A complete counterfeiting outfit was found consisting of photographic apparatus, lithographic presses, electrotyping and etching tools, paper and colored inks.

An illicit wine and liquor blending plant also was unearthed. Two of the men taken in custody were operating this plant, it was alleged.

According to the secret service men, the counterfeiters apparently were well supplied with money, their outfit alone having cost upwards of \$2000.

The scheme, the government agents said they were informed, was to manufacture the \$1,000,000 in bills, then destroy the plant before attempting to dispose of the bogus money.

Seventy photographic negatives of genuine bills already had been made and the impressions transferred to gelatine and wax plates. Some of these, after having been electro-plated, had been etched. Pieces of silk and human hair also were used in the process of making the counterfeiters.

Chief Flynn declared last night that the ringleader of the alleged conspiracy is an expert photo engraver and etcher. The work of fitting up the plant, it was said, began several months ago, and was carried on as quietly as possible.

ELKS' OUTING  
Continued

weather when good fellows get together," and if ever good fellows got together, that little thing happened today. On all sides there was good fellowship and when the history of today's outing is written all who attended will undoubtedly refer to it as the "best ever."

During the morning hours, the Elks' band, under the direction of James Buckley, gave several concerts in the downtown district, first playing at the rooms and later at city hall, Towns corner and the depot. The excellent music attracted many and when the time arrived for the street parade, the number of participants was the largest in the history of the local lodge.

When the noon day bells began to toll, the Elks and their friends forgot all about toll and wended their way to the scene of activities. The crowd attracted others, but inasmuch as arrangements had been made to handle a record number, everything went off like clockwork. Each man was presented a flag as a souvenir of the occasion, and with this accomplished everything was in readiness for the street parade.

The Street Parade  
"Strike up the band," said Commissioner James E. Donnelly, marshal of the parade, and a lively march was played as all fell into line. After Marshal Donnelly and the band came a number of automobiles with James Walker, chairman of the outing committee in the first machine. The other members of the general committee, as well as many members of the lodge, occupied machines, but the great majority emulated Dan O'Leary.

The parade was the longest ever held in connection with Elks' outings. Many of the automobiles were decorated with flags and other ornaments. A majority of the men in line wore purple asters, and all carried flags. The paraders were cheered all along the line of march and after passing through the business streets all headed for the depot, where the special train in charge of Joseph Higley was awaiting them. Whilst the majority hopped aboard, the train many remained in the autos and proceeded to the grounds. The train made good time and arrived at its destination shortly after the auto train.

Scene of Activity  
At the beautiful grounds of the Martin Luther's in Tyngsboro, everything was in readiness for the multitude and all started right in to enjoy the fun. A continuous lunch was served during the afternoon and needless to say this part of the program proved interesting to all. Sports of all kinds, including a ball game between married and single men, pillow fights, etc., were on the cards. A "young" midway, with all the features was well patronized during the afternoon. Other games, peculiar to outdoor entertainments, were indulged in, while a cabaret show by the Henry Boy quartet proved very entertaining. The Elks' band kept busy dispensing fine music during the entire afternoon.

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LOWELL'S LEADING OPTICIAN, EST. 1890

At the time of going to press everybody was happy and all were congratulating the efficient committee for the great time provided. At 6:30 o'clock the return journey will be made by rail. The general outing committee was made up of the following hustlers: James H. Walker, chairman; Arthur T. Cull, secretary; Joseph Haggerty, treasurer; William Scott, John J. Lee, Fred H. Rourke, Harry Pitts, Thomas Kelley, Charles F. Gilmore, William H. Mahan, James E. Donnelly, Max L. Katz, Joseph F. Burns, Edward J. Handley, Ellis J. McQuade, Christopher J. Hagan, John J. Healey, John J. Dawson, Edwin W. Kilpatrick, Eugene Y. Brown and Samuel Scott.

The other committees were:

Grounds—William Scott, John J. Lee, Fred H. Rourke.

Printing and Publicity—Arthur T. Cull, John J. Healey, Chris J. Hagan, Souvenirs—Ellis J. McQuade, Joseph F. Burns, Samuel Scott.

Catering—James H. Walker, John J. Dawson, Edwin W. Kilpatrick.

Musik and Entertainment—William H. Mahan, Edward J. Handley, James E. Donnelly.

Sports and Prizes—Eugene Y. Brown, Harry Pitts, Thomas H. Kelley.

Transportation—Joseph Haggerty, Charles F. Gilmore, Max L. Katz.

Police—James H. Walker, Arthur T. Cull.

Plans for a Municipal Dance Discussed by Park Board

Plans for the municipal dance to be held on the South common on the evening of Aug. 31 were discussed at a regular meeting of the park board at city hall last evening, and those in charge of the event predict the attendance will number 10,000. Present at the meeting were the members of the park board, Mayor O'Donnell, Sup't. Kernen, Mrs. Julian B. Keyes and Miss Katherine B. Tobin.

After considerable discussion of the matter the following committee was appointed to meet on the common at 4:30 o'clock this afternoon for the purpose of viewing the ground and deciding which part of the premises is the most suitable for the event: Mrs. Julian B. Keyes, Miss Katherine B. Tobin, Chairman Harvey S. Greene, Sup't. Kernen and Thomas B. McKay.

In the course of the meeting Chairman Greene read a letter from Sup't. Parker of the park department of Hartford, Conn., outlining what might be accomplished by Lowell without taking a dollar out of the city treasury.

Mr. Parker states that the pond and general topography of the South common hold out to Lowell the opportunity of making it the most beautiful park in the country. The concessions and buildings which might be erected would pay for all the expenses of improvements within five years.

Sup't. Parker greatly recommended the project of open air dancing and stated that it furnished young people with a recreation of the most wholesome character.

Mr. Greene reported that Secretary John H. Murphy of the board of trade sent some 28 letters to representatives of different nationalities in Lowell asking that folk dancing in native costume be staged on the evening of the municipal dance, and already five have replied favorably: Jewish, Italian, Greek, Portuguese and Polish. Miss Tobin informed the commissioners that she thought a dance of the nations around a red, white and blue Maypole would be a splendid feature.

The mayor stated that a portion of the unexpected Fourth of July fund might be used for the purpose of covering the general expenses and said the band would be paid out of the regular concert appropriation.

Mrs. Keyes suggested that a committee of 25 be appointed to look after the dancing and a number of the dancing teachers of the city will be included on the committee.

It was also suggested that the playgrounds exhibit be held on the same evening at the Casino or in a specially erected tent on the common.

In the event of rain the affair will be postponed till the following evening.

## THEIR MONKEY RIVALS

LINOTYPE OPERATORS WILL HAVE TO GO SOME—THE CHIMPANZES ARE BUTTING IN

NEW YORK, Aug. 17.—Linotype operators employed in printing establishments will have to face competition that will work 14 hours a day, know no union rules and live on coconuts, seaweed and chocolate candy.

Authority for this statement is the Honolulu correspondent of the Typographical Journal, the official magazine of the International Typographical Union of North America. In the August number of that magazine is published an article and a picture of a champion linotype operator at work on the Star-Bulletin of Honolulu.

"Biz Fox, one of the few chimpanzees typists in the world, is an expert operator of a Mengenthaler having

## THE SPELLBINDER

As the Old Timer would remark, Hon. John F. Fitzgerald now passes into the quarter of a century class for it was just a quarter of a century ago that the popular young "Dearo" was elected to the common council from the old North End, in Boston. And now at the end of 25 years in the political life-light do we find him any the worse for wear? Not so's you notice it, for yesterday he announced his candidacy for the United States senate, against Hon. Henry Cabot Lodge, and there are many, not democrats, who believe that in a popular election, he can defeat the sage of Nahant. The announcement that the popular ex-mayor of Boston and campaign orator of the 33rd degree will combat with the senior-senator has greatly aroused the spirits of the state democracy which holds high hopes for success with such an aggressive candidate to represent it in the senatorial field. It is not an exaggeration to express the belief that there is no man in the state whom Senator Lodge is more afraid of as a rival candidate than Hon. John F. Fitzgerald. For personal acquaintance with the rank and file, throughout the state, Senator Lodge is a stranger compared with the "little human dynamo" from the Hub who has spoken and shaken hands with citizens in every nook and corner of the commonwealth. Furthermore personal campaigning is something entirely new for Senator Lodge while Fitzgerald is accustomed to making speeches at all hours and in all places. Being a candidate before a senate and house a majority of which is of one's own party is entirely different from being a candidate before the whole people, and hence Senator Lodge is up against a new proposition whereas the former mayor has been campaigning before the populace for quarter of a century, and campaigning with success. Former Mayor Fitzgerald in a statement in the Boston Press yesterday stated that he would campaign the entire state and that before election time Lodge would have Hughes, Roosevelt and the other big guns of the party making speeches in Massachusetts in order to save him and the state ticket. That may sound like an idle boast to some but those who know how the former mayor can campaign consider it a very plausible prediction. Surely it will be a real novelty to behold the dignified Henry Cabot Lodge making speeches from autos, on street corners, and, perhaps, kissing no bables throughout the state.

### The Gubernatorial Contest

With Governor McCall in a peck of trouble over some of his appointments, and not any too strong with his own party, it behoves the democrats not to mix up over any ante-caucus differences, for by a united front on election day an excellent opportunity will be afforded to elect a democratic governor. Former-Governor Walsh, Chairman O'Leary of the democratic state committee, and other state leaders appear to favor Hon. Charles S. Cole, former adjutant-general, as the candidate. Mr. Humphrey O'Sullivan, of this city, is said to be a supporter of Hon. Frederick W. Mansfield. Mr. Mansfield is reported to have said that he will remain in the contest until the primaries are named their choice. Both democratic candidates are eminently desirable and will be strong vote-getters, Mr. Mansfield being in particularly good favor with the labor vote of the state.

This year the republicans in many places will have an opportunity to ward accounts with the democrats by voting the democratic ticket in the primaries. Last year, it will be recalled, there were no contests among the democrats except in a few representative districts and hence the democrats took part in the republican primaries and while the man they nominated, on Samuel McCall, defeated Governor Walsh, on election day, they had the satisfaction of keeping Grafton, Cushing out of the running, and that appears to have been their purpose. This year the republicans have no rights to the state ticket, though in Lowell there may be contests in the senatorial and representative districts, on account of the new lines, that will keep them on their own side of the fence in the primaries.

**Slight Misapprehension**

A few days ago Mayor O'Donnell, Dr. Simpson of the state board of health and County Commissioner Barlow, held conference at city hall in relation to the erection of the contagious disease hospital, the proposition being to have the county assist the city in the cost of the construction of the hospital and to contribute toward its maintenance by sending the county tubercular cases from the vicinity of Lowell, to a Lowell hospital, thus relieving the city of the entire expense of the hospital and incidentally relieving the duty of the burden of erecting a county hospital in this part of the country.

The next day a report was spread out town that the mayor and Dr. Simpson had framed up the conference for the purpose of making County Commissioner Barlow "strong" with a Lowell voter for re-election, and at the county couldn't thus assist the city, as it hadn't any money. Nothing could be more ridiculous, you some folks took the report seriously. Early the year when Mayor O'Donnell took the initiative of providing the hospital, as required by law, Dr. Simpson wired him to defer action for a time as much as a proposed law was under discussion compelling counties to erect contagious disease hospitals, and suggested that the city might go with the county, sending its cases to the county hospital if such an institution would materialize. Subsequently, however, the county was given permission to go in with a city the project, and hence the conference with County Commissioner Barlow, the Lowell member of the commission, who personally is favorable to the proposition, and who will bring before the full board. The matter is under discussion long before camions were thought of, and is possessed of legislative authority, and therefore is not a "frame-up" for political purposes.

**Pointing More Firemen**

Commissioner Putnam appears to be having a difficult time trying to put a few more permanent firemen. He wants to place five new men in the department, but can't do it unless he is the money that was originally intended for additional apparatus. At present time the finances of his department will permit of the addition of two men, but it would seem that a commissioner wants to place five more. There are two men awaiting appointment who were once appointed former Commissioner Barrett. They were taken from the list of call-men, and the law provides that a call-man for a certain period of service may be appointed without the formality of civil service examination. The two men gave up their occupations and had re-chased their uniforms and had held positions but a short time when it was discovered that their period

of service as call-men had lapsed a few months of the length of time required by the civil service law, and shortly afterward the civil service commission demanded their discharge. Since then they have been performing their duties as call-men, and are now eligible for appointment. A great deal of sympathy has been expressed for these two men, and the public generally would like to see them appointed. Why not appoint these two, and the other three later when the money is in sight? It's a pretty good bet that the municipal council will not vote the transfer of the \$8500 voted for additional apparatus, to an appropriation for new men.

**Lively Representative Contest**

On Saturday at 6 o'clock in the afternoon, all local nomination papers must be filed, the city clerk's office keeping open on that afternoon for the accommodation of the prospective candidates. Already the new 14th district which includes wards 1, 2 and 9, presents a formidable array of talent, represented among the candidates. Representative Murphy, of course, is a candidate, and most of the others concede his nomination, and are looking for the second nomination for the district shows two representatives, the other democrats in the contest are former Representative Thomas Cutt, former Alderman Owen E. Brennan, George Tyrrell, James Dacey, Joseph P. Farrell, former Councilman Peter H. Roche, Charles H. Slover, and John McMahon. And while the district is several hundred democratic, two republicans who probably ought to advance to the nomination are the running for the republican nomination, Frederick Chisholm and Arthur E. Judd having taken out papers. In the ward 4-5 district indications point to a repetition of the old fight of a year ago, last year's three candidates, Rep. O'Connell, John F. Roche, Jr., and Thomas Corbett are in it again and John F. O'Day of Church street has taken out papers. This looks like a lively campaign.

### THE SPELLBINDER

#### AMUSEMENT NOTES

##### B. F. KEITH'S THEATRE

In the course of "A Child of the Paras," the new Triangle feature, which will be shown at the B. F. Keith theatre, the final half of this week, beginning today, some thrilling insight is given into the training of the English capital's children. Among other scenes is one in which practice is being done on the roof of a building, a dummy being used by the young pickpockets, to see if they can rifle the pockets without jingling the bells on the dummy. Truly Marshall, a splendor of color will be shown in the cast will be Mae Marsh and Bob Harron. A carnal scene in the piece is also one of the best things. The Comedy of the last half of the week is "Hearts and Sparks," with Hank Mann the principal player. The most interesting new weakling will be the very latest of vixens, and the Mutt and Jeff animated cartoon will be in Bud Fisher's funniest vein. Altogether it will be a great show.

##### MERRIMACK SQUARE THEATRE

The program of fine photo-plays at the Merrimack Square theatre changes today. These which were so thoroughly enjoyed by the patrons of that theatre during the past month will be replaced by the features which were promised to the public of this city and vicinity. The entire bill consists of stars whose names stand for the best in motion pictures today. On this bill appear the names of Margaret Clark, Frances Nelson, Robert Warwick, and other famous names, the mention of which arouses new keen interest among motion picture patrons.

When lovers meet and woo and wed do they still guess think that they are determining their own fate? Do they always believe that they are so hand-in-hand that the gods will not touch them, and do they always think that the gods will not separate them? It is in this lovely, fanciful play exists to do light the many Lowell people who will come to this theatre either today, tomorrow or Saturday to see their favorite screen girls in this happily chosen role.

"Human Driftwood," the other five act play also treats of the fate of certain individuals, not in a light, imaginative way, but with all the vividness of actuality. Added to the inherent interest which the theme necessarily carries with it, is the superb acting of the noted stars, Frances Nelson and Robert Warwick.

The story of "Human Driftwood" is told in a strikingly dramatic way, the power of destiny to bridge the years and bring to fruition the aspirations of youth.

Several other pictures will also be shown at the big performances to be given at this theatre today, Friday and Saturday. These include a funny comedy and the interesting and educational Burton Holmes travel pictures.

##### ROYAL THEATRE

Robert Edeson, the strongest character actor in America, will be seen in a Vingarn offering Friday at the Royal. He plays in "A Woman's Fair Name," coming, "The Yellow Menace" and "The Girl from Frisco."

##### OWL THEATRE

Virginia Pearson, the noted southern beauty, is starred in "Hypocrisies," a gripping five-act Fox feature film, exposing the means of modern society, which will be the attraction at the Owl on Friday afternoon and evening. Other excellent photoplays will also be shown.

##### CANOBIE LAKE

The Orpheus club of Nashua will tonight have their concert at Canobie Lake park theatre and it is an event the popularity of which the nearby cities have been waiting for all these years.

Mr. Albert LaFuer has returned from a two weeks' vacation at Old Orchard beach.

Miss Ella Larkin is spending the summer months at Old Orchard beach with her aunt, Mrs. Burke.

The Misses Ella O'Connell and Mae E. Galler are enjoying their vacation at Old Orchard.

Mrs. Mary Hayden has just returned from a three weeks' vacation enjoyed at Revere beach.

Miss Ethel Winslow of Lincoln street will spend the next two weeks at Salmon Willows.

Miss Mary Fox of Duran street will spend next week in Montpelier, Vt., the guest of Miss Rose Doyle of that city.

The Misses Mary Rails, Elizabeth Murphy, Catherine Lake, Helen Hale and Catherine Conway are at Pine Island farm, N. H., for two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. George W. French and Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Barton of this city are stopping at the Curtis home, Old Orchard.

Charles F. Stackpole, driver of Engine 2, is enjoying his annual vacation. The greater part of his time will be spent at Hampton beach.

Mrs. Abel R. Campbell and daughter Constance and Miss M. E. Bolger are spending the month of August at Martin's Point, Friendship, Me.

Mrs. M. J. Keyes of West Ninth street has returned after visiting her brother, J. Gates Coburn of Peterborough, N. H.

Mr. and Mrs. James Donovan and daughter, Louise, and Mrs. Donovan's sister, Ella M. Burke, have returned from a most enjoyable automobile trip to the summer home of Mrs. Burke's brother, John Burke, at Lake Bemont, Castleton, Vt.

Jeremiah J. Harrington, the obliging telephone operator at the central fire station, has returned to his post at the switch board after two weeks spent along the south shore. Despite the fact that Jerry is one of the oldest members of the department he is looking fine and states that he had an excellent time.

##### SUN BREVITIES

Best printing: Tobin's, Asso. Bldg. Expert vulcanizing, Behrreil's.

J. F. Donohoe, 228 Children's bldg. real estate and insurance. Telephone.

Join Leeds' tour to Washington, Sept. 1. A few places left. Call 25 Bridge street.

##### MATRIMONIAL

A pretty wedding took place from the home of Mrs. Josephine Headon.

Marion street, when their daughter, Mary Josephine, was uniting in marriage to Albert J. Ford at St. Patrick's rectory at 10 o'clock, Wednesday, by the Rev. James J. Kieran. The best man was John Collins of Philadelphia, Pa., while Miss Eleanor F. Headon, sister of the bride, was bridesmaid. The groom's gift was a set of cuff links and the bridemaid's gift was a traveling bag.

The bride was attired in white embroidered net and carried bridal roses. The bridegroom also wore embroidered in the same color a carried Killarney roses.

The young couple received numerous gifts from their many friends, among which were presents from Philadelphia, Friends were present from Philadelphia, Pittsburgh, Lawrence and Granville.

At 2:30 the newlyweds left on a honeymoon trip to Coney Island, Philadelphia and Niagara, and will be at home on Sept. 1, at 222 High street.

INVESTIGATE WHEAT ADVANCE

LONDON, Aug. 17.—In reference to the recent discussion of the high price of wheat, which has been attributed in some quarters to speculation here and in Chicago, Sir Charles Ackland, parliamentary under-secretary to the board of agriculture, advances the opinion that speculation in this country has had no great influence. The subject is being investigated by the government.

Sir Charles was asked in the house of commons whether the board of trade had any reason to think that stocks of wheat on passage to this country or landed here from abroad were in the hands of speculators. He replied:

"The board has no reason to think that stocks of wheat landed or on passage are being unduly held off the market, or that the present price of wheat in any material degree is attributable to speculation in this country."

The subject of the present and prospective supplies of wheat is receiving close attention.

##### ROOFERS

Again tomorrow will vaudevilles hold sway when the four acts that have been added to the bill in support of the comedy sketch of Mr. Augustine will be presented. The first three days of the week brought many folks to the park who had heard of the wonderful bill and they were well repaid for their com-

ing. In addition to the comedy sketch of "Eagle Horse," a full-blooded Alaskan Indian, who entertains with song and story; "The Garden City Four," a clever quartet of comedy artists; "Selma Bradford" in "Funny Caprices" and others.

The following program will be offered by the Orpheus Glee Club of Nashua at the Canobie Lake Park theatre this evening. Come Over The Sea.....Bullard. Orpheus Glee club. Silent Recitation.....Hubray. Pacho. Orpheus Glee club. Habanera from Carmen.....Bitez. Mrs. Tressler-Descamps. Sunset.....Vande Water. Orpheus male quartet. INTERMISSION. Comrade Song.....Bullard. Orpheus Glee club. I Hear a Thrush at Eve.....Cadman. Mrs. Desparois. Slumber Song.....Warren. Orpheus Glee club. a Perfect Day.....Bon. Orpheus Glee club.

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